

CONTROL OF TWO
INSURANCE FIRMS
PURCHASED WITH
THEIR OWN FUNDS

Corporate Hookup of General American and Southwestern Life Enables Group Controlling Both to Make \$800,000 on Deal.

DETAILS OF FINANCING
O'MALLEY OPPOSES

Majority Interest in Companies With Total Assets of \$170,000,000 Acquired by Three Dallas Lawyers Who Put Up \$100,000.

Three Dallas lawyers who put \$100,000 into the capital stock of a new investing corporation are now in control of the General American Life Insurance Co., as a result of a transaction announced last Saturday which aroused the opposition of State Insurance Superintendent R. Emmet O'Malley.

In the same transaction, using \$400,000 in cash provided by the Southwestern Life Insurance Co. of Dallas, Tex., the three attorneys also acquired control of the Southwestern Life, through the ownership by General American Life of 24 per cent of the stock of the Texas company.

Not Insurance Men. Total assets of the two insurance companies as of last Dec. 31 were \$170,000,000. The three Dallas lawyers are Dexter Hamilton, James Ralph Wood and T. C. Clark, none of whom heretofore has had any connection with the life insurance business.

As was told Saturday, the Equity Corporation, a New York holding company controlled by David M. Milton, son-in-law of John D. Rockefeller Jr., sold stock control of the General American Life to the Southwestern Investors' Corporation of Dallas, organized by the three lawyers, Hamilton, Wood and Clark. The Equity Corporation transferred to the Texas group 4,666 shares of General American stock, out of a total issue of 50,000 shares, for \$60 a share. This stock cost the Milton group \$40 a share when General American was organized in 1933 to take over the insolvent Missouri State Life Insurance Co. Thus the Milton group made in this transaction a profit of \$10 a share, or a total of \$833,320.

Story of the Financing. The financing was explained to the Post-Dispatch over long distance telephone today by C. F. O'Donnell of Dallas, president of Southwestern Life. He said the three lawyers, whom he described as leaders of the profession in Dallas, subscribed the \$100,000 stock of the Southwestern Investors' Corporation in cash.

The next step was the sale by the Investors' Corporation of \$2,400,000 of its 20-year debenture bonds (notes) to the Southwestern Life at par for cash. These bonds bear 2 per cent interest. From these two sources the Investors' Corporation had a total of \$2,500,000 in cash. It required \$2,499,960 to pay for the General American stock.

As security for the debenture bonds, the Investors' Corporation pledged the General American Life stock which it purchased with the proceeds of the bonds.

The General American stock (24.3 per cent of the total issue) carried with it control over the Southwestern Life Insurance Co. because General American owned 24.3 per cent of the stock of Southwestern Life. O'Donnell said the transaction was to the advantage of Southwestern Life because it received control of that company to Texas hands. There had never been any improper control over Southwestern Life by General American, he said, but since Southwestern Life was a Texas corporation subject to supervision in Texas, he thought control should be in that state.

Buys General American Stock. Southwestern Life also purchased for its own account 3334 shares of General American stock at \$60 a share. O'Donnell said this is the only corporation stock owned by Southwestern Life, and that the debentures of Southwestern Investors are the only corporate bonds in which Southwestern Life has funds invested.

The purchase of the Southwestern stock was announced in the Post-Dispatch on Page 2, Column 2.

OCCASIONAL RAIN
LIKELY TONIGHT;
COLDER TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m.	61	9 a. m.	65
2 a. m.	62	10 a. m.	67
3 a. m.	63	11 a. m.	70
4 a. m.	63	12 Noon	70
5 a. m.	63	1 p. m.	70
6 a. m.	63	2 p. m.	70
7 a. m.	63	3 p. m.	68
8 a. m.	64	4 p. m.	68
9 a. m.	64	5 p. m.	68

Yesterday's high, 68 (a p. m.); low, 44 (2 a. m.).

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity. Occasional showers probable tonight and tomorrow; colder; lowest temperature tonight about 48.

Missouri: Showers probable tonight and tomorrow; possible turning to snow flurries in northwestern portion; colder tomorrow, and in west and north portions tonight.

Illinois: Occasional showers probable tonight and tomorrow; colder tomorrow, and in northwest and west central portions late tonight.

Sunset, 6:15; sunrise (tomorrow), 5:58.

Stage of the Mississippi at St. Louis, 17.4 feet, a fall of 0.5; at Grafton, Ill., 14.0 feet, a fall of 0.3; the Missouri at St. Charles, 15.2 feet, a fall of 0.7.

GEN. HAGOOD SEES PRESIDENT;
'NOTHING TO SAY' AFTERWARD

Critic of New Deal Removed From Command Talks With Roosevelt on Train.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 23.—Major-General Johnson Hagood, who was disciplined for criticizing the New Deal's work relief, boarded President Roosevelt's vacation special early today for a conference with the chief executive. Neither the President nor the former commander of the Eighth Corps Area, with headquarters at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., would say anything of the conference.

The President's special stopped early today at Charleston, S. C. The General, clad in civilian clothes, boarded the train there.

It was after lunch Hagood finally got an audience with the President, although he had boarded the presidential special at 12:20 a. m. The General had waited in a forward Pullman while Roosevelt left the train at Winter Park to receive a degree at Rollins College. Hagood left the special at West Palm Beach.

He seemed angry. He said he was going to Chicago on "private business." Otherwise, "I have nothing to say," he snapped.

It was said that the President invited Hagood aboard after receiving an indirect request for an interview.

HEIRS OF SNUFF MAN DENIED
SHARES IN WIDOW'S ESTATE

Pennsylvania Supreme Court Rules in Walter Garrett Case; 5000 Claimants.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 23.—The State Supreme Court today ruled that those of the more than 5000 claimants to the Walter Garrett snuff fortune who say they are heirs of the manufacturer, cannot share in the \$17,000,000 estate of his widow.

In an opinion written by Justice William L. Schafer, the Court held that Garrett's widow, Henrietta E. Garrett, who outlived him by several years, took an "absolute estate" under the will, with the power to use the principal during her life and to dispose of it by power of appointment in her will.

She died Nov. 16, 1930, leaving a will in which she disposed of only \$62,500 of the \$17,000,000 to friends and relatives.

Among the claimants to her estate are Julius E. Schaeffer, a florist of St. Louis, who said he was a second cousin of Mrs. Garrett, and Mrs. Frank S. Hanley of Clayton, Mo., third cousin.

CITY AUTO LICENSE DRIVE ON
Long Line of Applicants as Police Begin Making Arrests.

Applicants for city automobile licenses thronged the License Collector's office today and stood in line as far back as Thirteenth and Market streets awaiting their turn. Police began arrests today of motorists without licenses. So far about 120,000 city licenses have been issued, compared with 152,000 last year. About 2000 were issued during the first hour and a half the office was open today.

Those arrested received summonses to appear in Police Court, but were informed they might be discharged by presenting a license receipt at the Traffic Bureau at Police Headquarters within three days and paying a nominal fine of \$1.

PARACHUTES FOR FIREMEN
Russia Trains Airplane Corps to Moscow, March 23.—The People's Commissariat of the timber industry today began training brigades of firemen who will be dropped from airplanes to fight forest fires.

A special parachute also has been designed to drop fire fighting equipment from the planes.

COURT DENOUNCES
WILFRED JONES AS
ESTATE EXECUTOR

Probate Judge Glendy B. Arnold Finds Lawyer Guilty of "Wrongful Waste and Malfeasance."

OUSTS HIM, ORDERS
RETURN OF \$3300

Action Based on Complaint Against His Administration of Mrs. Rosa M. Meyer's Property.

Finding that Attorney Wilfred Jones has been "guilty of wrongful waste and malfeasance" as executor of the \$17,727 estate of Mrs. Rosa M. Meyer, Probate Judge Glendy B. Arnold today removed Jones and in his place appointed Mrs. Meyer's husband, William H. Meyer, 4130 Shreve avenue, as administrator.

In the written order of removal, Judge Arnold also instructed Jones, the baby broker in the Muehnbach baby hoax, to return to the estate a total of \$3328.50 which he had "wrongfully failed" to charge to himself. This part of the order, affecting the return of assets to the estate, also was made binding on the Maryland Casualty Co., which signed the executor's \$10,000 bond.

"Unfit and Improper Person." Holding that Jones was "an unfit and improper person" to handle the affairs of the estate, the Court declared forfeited his right to any commissions in compensation for his services. Commissions of \$727.30 already taken from the estate were ordered returned and were included in the total he is to give back, which also includes interest. The Court also found that the executor was guilty of "malfeasance, with the wrongful intention of cheating and defrauding the estate of large sum of money."

The Court found that Jones had filed false receipts in two transactions in which he had withdrawn \$300 from Meyer. This was in connection with two checks signed by Jones as executor and payable to Meyer, who subsequently declared he had never indorsed the checks and that the indorsement on them was not his signature.

In a previous hearing, it had been stated by Judge Arnold from the bench that the name of Jones had been removed from the checks in question. At that time the court said he intended to call the attention of the grand jury to the transaction.

In the order of removal the court listed the items, which Jones or his bonding company must return to the estate. Among them was one for \$983.25 said to have been collected by the lawyer on the sale of notes and deeds of trust left by Mrs. Meyer with an aggregate value of \$7493.25. Jones had reported he sold them for \$6800.

Additional Items. The second item was \$244.70, said to have been advanced by Meyer to Jones for paying expenses of administration which "Jones has wrongfully taken credit for." Next was an item for \$226.65 paid to Jones in premiums on his executor's bond, but not returned to the estate. Also listed were items of \$200 and \$100, respectively, said to be due Meyer on the check transactions in which the Court had previously found there had been embezzlement of Jones' indorsement. One of the checks was for \$600, the other for \$400. Meyer testified he received \$500 in cash in the first instance and \$300 in the second, but never saw the checks. They were to cover disbursements from the estate to Meyer as heir.

\$117 Item Disallowed. An item of \$117 listed by Jones as having been paid to Dr. H. H. Helbing, a physician, for professional services also was disallowed, and he was ordered to pay that amount back to the estate. Meyer has previously testified that he himself paid the doctor's bill, which was for attendance on Mrs. Meyer prior to her death in May, 1932.

Jones had included in his settlement, finally made to the Court after a series of demands for the statement, that he had paid \$700 to his attorney, Shepard R. Evans. This amount the Court had cut to \$250. In the order of removal Jones was ordered to pay the rest, \$450, back to the estate. The final item in the list of monies to be returned was \$11.15 covering credit taken by Jones for payment of court costs over and above the amount that he actually disbursed. Assets of the estate which Jones also was instructed to turn over to Meyer were \$708.18 in cash, two burial lots in St. Paul's Cemetery at Olive Street and Link roads, St. Louis County, 11 shares of common stock of Missouri Mortgage Securities, 10 shares of common stock of the University City Savings & Loan Co.

Circuit Attorney Franklin Miller

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MORE OHIO TOWNS
FLOODED; CREST
NEARS CINCINNATI

River Nearly at Top of Concrete Wall at Portsmouth — Sandbags Expected to Save the City.

HUNDREDS LEAVE
LOWLAND HOMES

Wrightsville and Stout Are Virtually Buried — Parts of Ripley and New Richmond Under Water.

(Copyright, 1936, by the Associated Press.) CINCINNATI, March 23.—The muddy debris-filled Ohio River was at 57.2 feet here at 10 a. m., 5.2 above flood stage. A 59-foot crest is expected tomorrow. The crest is nearing Portsmouth, O., 110 miles upstream. Hundreds of persons were deserting their homes as the river spread over lowlands of the southwestern section of Ohio.

Water spread through the Cincinnati riverfront business district. Portsmouth stage was 59.2 feet. Observers said it apparently was stationary. Portsmouth, scene of one of the disasters of the 1913 flood, felt secure behind its 60-foot concrete flood wall, topped by two feet of sandbags.

Charles Smittle of Sciotoville, golf course caretaker, died from shock after falling from a rowboat. Each hour the river blocked more highways. River front villages, houseboat fleets and camp colonies suffered heavily.

Wrightsville and Stout in Adams County were virtually buried, their 240 inhabitants becoming refugees in the nearby hill country.

College Campus Flooded. Manchester, a town of 2100 a few miles to the west, reported water over the campus of Alfred Holbrook College, and Ray C. Wilkerson, a trustee, said classrooms would be flooded today. Students abandoned textbooks to join National Guardsmen in patrol and relief duty.

Parts of Ripley and adjoining Brown County, and New Richmond, 22 miles from Cincinnati, were under water. In New Richmond close to 200 families took to higher ground.

The river apparently reached a crest—the highest since the flood of 1913—in Greenup, Ky., today, after isolating the city. A stationary stage of 61.8, compared to 59.4 three years ago and 67.3 in 1913, was reported.

The Ohio was almost stationary at Catlettsburg, an Ashland, Ky., town, and was expected to crest falling by night. Schools were closed at Catlettsburg. Residents and merchants had been forced to move out. Only the lower part of Ashland near the river bank was affected.

On a bluff and river-front homes, on a bluff in Greenup, Ky., above Greenup, and was expected to crest falling by night. Schools were closed at Catlettsburg. Residents and merchants had been forced to move out. Only the lower part of Ashland near the river bank was affected.

Health Conditions Good. General health conditions throughout the section remained good, medical authorities reported, though at Fort Thomas, Ky., residents of that army post community were advised to boil their drinking water.

Cincinnati found itself so well prepared that relief workers reported no difficulty in handling applicants at dozens of emergency stations. Policemen were taken from flood duty and returned to traffic posts or other regular assignments. Mrs. Ella Layne Brown, Red Cross director here, said: "We are ready for a 65-foot stage."

Police Chief Eugene T. Weatherly said: "This year we have had ample time to give aid to all potential flood sufferers long before their need became acute."

Today's tabulation by the Associated Press disclosed the following official and unofficial figures for the dead, the damage, the temporarily homeless or destitute in the major flood areas: Pennsylvania, 112 dead, damage \$200,000,000 and 300,000 homeless or destitute; West Virginia, 18, \$5,000,000 and 24,250; Ohio, 4, \$12,000,000 and 12,000; Maryland, 4, \$6,000,000 and 8000; Massachusetts, 10, \$200,000,000 and 50,000; Connecticut, 3, \$26,000,000 and 9000; Vermont, 5, \$1,000,000; New Hampshire, 1, \$25,000,000 and 8000; Maine, 5, \$25,000,000 and 10,000.

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STODDARD COUNTY
ACCOUNTS FOUND
SHORT BY \$48,940

State Auditor Reports 20 Officials Owed From \$100 to \$16,294 in Four-Year Period.

COUNTY IS IN DIRE
FINANCIAL STRAITS

Statutory Violations and Slip-Shod Methods Assailed — Two Officers Face Ousting.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch. BLOOMFIELD, Mo., March 23.—Shortages and excessive fees retained by county and township officials of Stoddard County amounting to \$48,940 were shown in an audit report filed today with the County Court by State Auditor Forrest Smith.

Raking the County Court and other officials for numerous statutory violations and the slipshod methods used in conducting the county's business, the report disclosed that 20 men who held office in the four years prior to Dec. 31, 1934, the period covered by the audit, owed sums ranging from \$100 to \$16,294.

Of the total amount, \$43,193 was owed to the county, which is in dire financial straits, \$2699 to the State and \$3048 to drainage districts and others. Calling attention to outstanding protested tax anticipation warrants amounting to \$63,495, the auditor pointed out that this was more than the entire revenue for 1934 and that the discount rate had been as high as 80 per cent.

Collector Owed \$16,294. Charles Miller, Liberty Township Collector, owed \$16,294, including \$14,208 collected for the county but not turned over to the Treasurer, \$419 in penalties on county taxes abandoned textbooks to join National Guardsmen in patrol and relief duty.

Substantial amounts were owed by Sheriff George M. Barham and Collector R. Kip Briney, against whom ouster suits have been filed charging them with retaining illegal fees and conspiracy to defraud the county of tax money.

Charles Miller was charged with \$5786 and Briney with \$1850. Collector, and \$500 for excessive fees retained while Prosecuting Attorney in 1931 and 1932. In 1933 Briney became tax attorney for the late Charles Buck, whom he succeeded Nov. 23, 1934, as Collector by appointment. Buck owed \$5579 and J. F. Deane, \$92.

Probate Judge W. L. Tucker owed \$2646; County Clerk W. C. Jackson, \$1922; former Circuit Clerk W. C. Henderson, \$779; Circuit Clerk Lee Barham, cousin of Sheriff Barham, \$113, and \$1001 as former Collector of Astor Township, and former Sheriff Fred Beall, \$1041.

Overcharges for Mileage. Even the Judges of the County Court, administrative body of the county, made excess charges for mileage. Presiding Judge W. J. Wilson overcharged \$123; Judge H. D. Stroup, \$122, and Judge T. C. Higgins, \$206. Amounts owed by the three former Judges were: W. J. Garner, \$271; E. B. Carney, \$184, and J. F. Deane, \$92.

Only six of the 44 officials whose accounts were audited did not owe the State or county, although in 18 cases the amounts were less than \$100 and in most cases appeared to be due to clerical errors.

"It is plainly seen," the report stated, "that some of the county officials have not been competent public servants in that the taxpayers and the welfare of the county has suffered gross injustice."

It also revealed that an audit made in 1919 showed shortages of \$13,970, but that it did not come to public attention. Sheriff Barham then was shown to be indebted as a former Sheriff for \$222.23, and owed \$3689 as Treasurer at that time.

Audit Report Ignored.

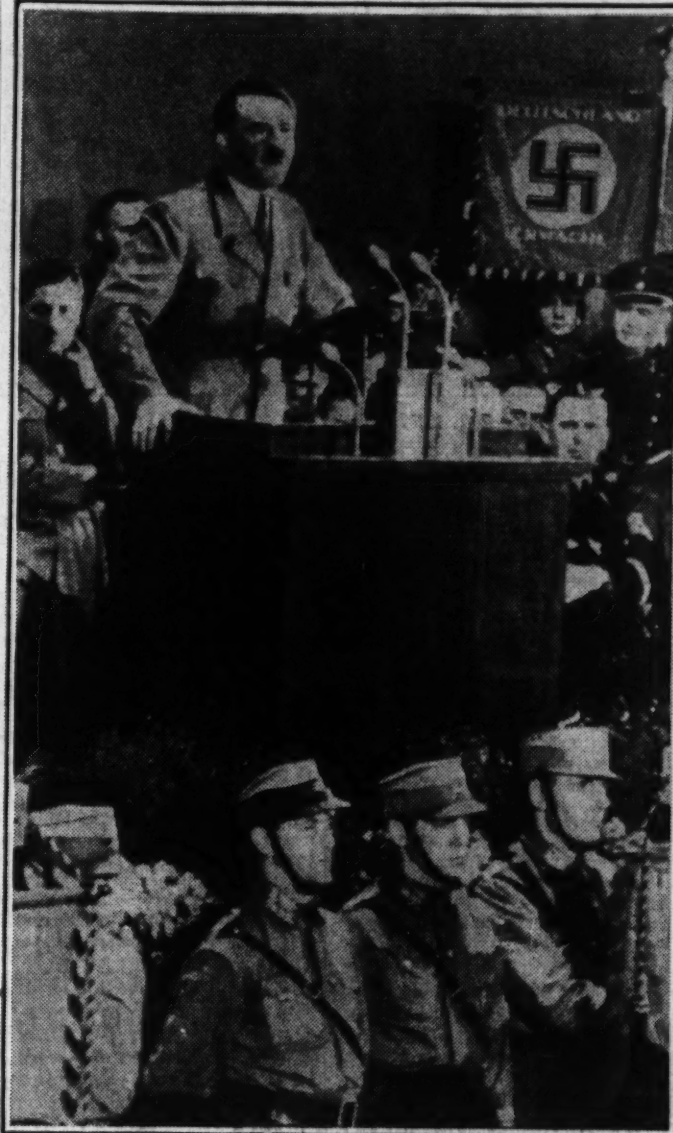
"There is no question," the report stated, "that the audit report, prepared as a public document, was totally ignored at that time through the influence of certain public officials. Consequently, the taxpayers of the county received no consideration and the trust and confidence placed in those public officials was betrayed."

Although they have no power to

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MUSSOLINI TAKES
OVER ALL LARGE
PRIVATE INDUSTRIES

Hitler-Speaking in Rhineland



REICHSFUHRER ADOLF HITLER. At Karlsruhe where he told a crowd of 60,000 March 12 that Germany wanted peace but Nazi troops were in the zone demilitarized by the Versailles treaty, to stay.

MAN DROWNS IN RIVER
WHEN BOAT CAPSIZES FUND FOR FLOOD RELIEF

Frank Gonser, 21, Victim of Accident at Foot of Arsenal St.—Companions Safe.

Frank Gonser, 21 years old, 147W President street, was drowned in the Mississippi River at 11:15 a. m. today, when a sailboat, which he was navigating upstream with his two cousins, capsized off the foot of Arsenal street.

One of his companions, Louis Grab, 25, 3229 Cherokee street, was rescued by Capt. George Antraine, George Griffiths and Frank Young, who put out in a skiff from Government barges moored at the Army Engineers Depot. The other, Leonard Boquette, 19, 3541 Texas avenue, swam about 30 yards to shore and pulled himself to safety by a line attached to one of the barges.

"We were sailing up the river in our flatboat, which we owned together," Grab said to a Post-Dispatch reporter, "with a good wind behind us, when just as we drew abreast of the Government float, a big gust of wind hit us. It forced the bow up and we shipped a lot of water. Then the sail was caught by another gust and over we went."

Grab said that he clung to the capsized boat, yelling for help. His friends swam for shore, he said, but he noticed that Gonser was weakening.

"I left the boat," Grab related, "and caught up with Gonser about half way to shore, but he was already sinking. I couldn't hold on any longer and he slipped away just as the skiff arrived. I was about all in, too."

POLICE FIRE ON STRIKERS
IN POLAND; FIVE KILLED

Attempt to Halt Demonstration Leads to Shooting; 29 Wounded; General Walkout Called. KRAKOW, Poland, March 23.—Five workmen were killed and 29 wounded today when police broke up a demonstration protesting against drastic staff reductions in a local factory.

The trade unions had proclaimed a 24-hour strike. The strikers gave a noisy manifestation on the main street. They defied police attempts to disperse them and threw stones at the gendarmes, who retaliated with shots.

The unions proclaimed a general strike in protest against the police action.

ABOLISHES HOUSE
OF DEPUTIES IN
"PREPARATION FOR
WAR IN EUROPE"

Premier in Anniversary Speech, Announces Control of Big Business; Says Profit From Conflict Is Inconceivable.

PARTY BODY IN PLACE
OF LEGISLATURE

"Indomitable Will of Generations Is Now Coming Up to Capacity for Highest Sacrifice, Namely Blood," Dictator Asserts.

(Copyright, 1936, by the Associated Press.) ROME, March 23.—Premier Mussolini abolished the Italian Chamber of Deputies today and it was replaced by a "Chamber of Fascists and Corporations."

The Dictator also abolished large private industries, leaving the medium and small private industries in existence.

Mussolini executed this stroke on the seventeenth anniversary of the founding of his Fascist party, after concluding conferences with the Government leaders of Austria and Hungary, and calling the Grand Assembly of Corporations into session.

Council of Guilds.

Il Duce discarded the Chamber of Deputies in favor of a Council of Guilds, and eliminated Italy's large private industries in a move to increase the nation's economic self-sufficiency, he declared, in preparation for a possible European war.

"When and how war will come, one does not know," he told the National Council of the 22 guilds of the corporative state, "but the wheel of fate turns fast."

The National Council of Guilds, which replaced the Chamber of Deputies, is composed of 22 productive, credit, transport, agricultural and professional corporations, or category guilds.

In eliminating the large private industries, the Premier declared he was leaving the medium and small private industries intact.

Mussolini, wearing the black wool uniform of a Fascist member of the Government, with a big Sam Browne belt across his waist and chest, aroused enthusiasm among the nation's leaders in industry and labor by declaring differences in rank among the various producing workers must be lessened.

He asserted the large industries, particularly those working for the defense of the nation, would be formed into organizations called "key industries" and would not be permitted to make profits.

Will Be Run By Government.

These industries, owing to their character, volume and importance for war, leave the field of private economy and enter into fields of state economy," he proclaimed.

He did not deliver the scathing remarks he has made on previous occasions regarding the Chamber of Deputies, which had taken a secondary place in the Fascist state, but announced that the Chamber would be replaced by the Council of Guilds. The new Chamber, he said, will be known as the "Chamber of Fascists and Corporations."

The rules of the new Chamber, he announced, would be determined by the Fascist Grand Council.

"This assembly will be political, because economic problems are seldom solved without political aid," the Premier said.

Matters absolutely not economic, he said, would be assigned to certain technical corporations or institutions of the Fascist party.

Mussolini drew cheers from the audience, rising in the Julius Caesar Hall of the Capitol Building, on Capitoline Hill, when he declared that with this reform, the Fascist

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SHIFT BY HITLER REPORTED AFTER BRITON'S APPEAL

Modified Reply to Locarno Powers' Terms Considered Likely, Due to London Envoy's Action.

DIPLOMATIC MOVE FOLLOWS ADDRESS

At Breslau Reichsfuehrer Called Proposals Unacceptable, Said Reich Would Not Capitulate.

By the Associated Press.
BERLIN, March 23.—Sir Eric Phipps, British Ambassador, was disclosed today to have made a personal appeal to the German Government to accept the Locarno powers' terms for settlement of the Rhineland dispute. Sir Eric is regarded as having more influence with Reichsfuehrer Hitler than any other foreign diplomat.

He called last night on Konstantin von Neurath, German Foreign Minister, and as a result, it was said, Hitler may modify his intended reply to the proposals offered by Great Britain, France, Belgium and Italy.

Joachim von Ribbentrop, Hitler's special Ambassador, had been expected to take the German reply to London today, but a reliable source said that he might not go before Thursday.

Sir Eric's Argument.
Sir Eric apparently learned that Hitler and von Ribbentrop had conferred on a plane trip to Breslau yesterday. He went directly to von Neurath after Hitler declared in a campaign speech that the Locarno powers' suggestion was "quite unacceptable as it stands."

One point on which Sir Eric was reported to have enlarged was the Locarno powers' demand for an international police force in the German Rhineland pending negotiations of new treaties. He was said to have pointed out that the arrangement would be provisional and analogous to the situation in the Saar, prior to its return to Germany, and, therefore, would not be derogatory to Germany's honor.

Meanwhile, German diplomats pointed out to the German Government that, although Italy signed the Locarno memorandum with reservations, it did not change the fact that Italy considered the memorandum to be a valid contract between the Locarno treaty signatories.

Hitler delivered a general reply to the Locarno proposals yesterday in his speech at Breslau, declaring, "Germany is neither ready nor willing to recognize the demands of other nations which touch upon the Reich's internal affairs."

To a shouting and cheering Silesian audience, he proclaimed: "We will not capitulate." "Nothing has happened in Germany in the last three years which is directed against any particular people nor which threatened any one," Hitler said, apparently referring to the re-establishment of the German army. "But in these three years the German people have again come to the unshakable decision that what was cannot be continued or tolerated."

A new order must be created, he continued, "based on reason and logic. But whoever thinks that the Treaty of Versailles can stand as a basis of this order is mistaken."

"World Fools Itself."
"When the world thinks this is only the opinion of Adolf Hitler it fools itself, for it is the opinion of the whole German people," said Hitler.

He did not indicate, however, how he intended to negotiate on the proposals for an international police force in a Rhineland buffer zone, submission of the French-Soviet pact to the World Court and an international peace conference.

The campaign for next Sunday's Reichstag elections, called to approve Hitler's policies after he sent troops across the Rhine March 7, gained increasing momentum.

Brownshirts Nazi detachments marched behind bands through Berlin streets yesterday in a campaign demonstration. Red handbills, proclaiming "Germany is Free," were placed in many mailboxes.

Support From Catholics.
A pastoral letter, read from pulpits in the Rhineland, encouraged Catholics to vote "yes" to the Nazi state "for the honor, freedom and security of our German Fatherland."

A spokesman for Rhineland Catholics explained that the Army's return to the once-demilitarized zone was welcomed by church authorities as a restoration of full German sovereignty over German territory. The militarization, the spokesman pointed out, also gave the Catholic Church an opportunity to demonstrate its patriotism to the Fatherland without retreating from its stand for full religious freedom.

Normandie Still Biggest Ship.

GLASGOW, Scotland, March 23.—The gross tonnage of the new liner Queen Mary was calibrated today at 80,773 and the length at 1018 feet. The Normandie has 82,000 gross tonnage and is 1029 1/2 feet long, following recent alterations, according to French Line officials.

Married During Train Stopover



MR. AND MRS. JACK OAKIE.

CONTROL OF RISK FIRMS PURCHASED WITH OWN FUNDS

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Investors' bonds and the General American stock was handled just as any other investments, O'Donnell said, and was approved by the board of directors, of the Southwestern Life. He said that Milton and his associates in the Equity Corporation had no interest in Southwestern Investors, and that there were no other outside interests controlling the Texas group.

There was no intention of the Texas group to interfere in the management of General American, O'Donnell said, the purpose being to leave operation of that company in the hands of the present management, headed by Walter W. Head, president.

Missouri State Life Contract.
The control of General American over Southwestern Life came from a contract of the Missouri State Life to purchase stock of the Texas company. Missouri State was making payment in annual installments. General American, after taking over the Missouri State business, completed the payments.

In this involved corporate situation, it was possible for the Milton group, controlling General American, and through it Southwestern Life, to cause Southwestern Life to provide funds for the purchase of the General American stock owned by the Milton group, a transaction which resulted in a cash profit of more than \$300,000 to the latter in an investment made two and one-half years ago.

Insurance Superintendent O'Malley, reached by telephone at Kansas City today, said to the Post-Dispatch that he was considering institution of suits to try to set aside the deal. He was considering action in both Texas and Missouri. He said he sought to have Milton, E. C. Huntington Jr., of New York, both directors of General American Life, come here for a meeting of the company's board, but learned that Milton was in Bermuda and that Huntington departed from New York Saturday for Nassau.

Statement by O'Malley.
O'Malley issued a statement yesterday, supplementing the one he gave out Saturday opposing the transaction. In yesterday's statement he said:

"I unintentionally omitted to say on Saturday relative to the sale of the General American stock, that it was my information that the Southwestern Life directorate, as represented by its president and vice-president, Messrs. O'Donnell and Coburn, were coerced by Mr. David Milton and Mr. Ellery Huntington of New York into making the purchase."

"It is my information that Mr. Milton and Mr. Huntington had threatened to sell the stock of the General American to certain undesirable persons which sale if made would have caused the management of both the General American and the Southwestern Life to be changed; that in order to maintain the present active management of both companies the stock was purchased by the Southwestern Investors Corporation."

O'Malley said that he was not informed of the negotiations and that they were conducted called for further inquiry.

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LEAGUE APPEAL FOR ARMISTICE IN AFRICA DROPPED

Committee Instructs Officials to Continue Peace Negotiations With Italy and Ethiopia.

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LONDON, March 23.—The League of Nations Conciliation Committee of 13 ordered another approach to Italy and Ethiopia today in the interest of peace.

The committee, composed of all members of the League Council except Italy, took action while the Council awaited a reply from Reichsfuehrer Hitler to the Locarno Powers' terms for ending the dispute over German remilitarization of the Rhineland. Informed sources said the League expected Hitler to accept the proposals—but with strong reservations.

The League Committee decided to send to the Italian Government a new Ethiopian protest concerning reported use by Italian forces of asphyxiating gas.

J. A. C. Avonol, Secretary-General of the League, and Salvador de Madariaga of Spain, president of the committee, were charged with continuing negotiations with Rome and Addis Ababa.

The next meeting of the League Council, which had been scheduled for this afternoon, was postponed to 4 p. m. Tuesday.

Committee Resolution.
After meeting in private session for two and a half hours, the committee adopted the following resolution:

"The Committee of 13 takes note of the replies of the two parties to the appeal which was sent them March 3.

"It entrusts the president of the committee, aided by the secretary-general, with the task of getting in touch with the two parties and taking all useful measures so that the Committee of 13 may, as soon as possible, bring the two parties closer together to obtain within the framework of the League of Nations and within the spirit of the Covenant a prompt cessation of hostilities and a definite re-establishment of peace."

In taking this action, the committee abandoned a plan to appeal to the belligerents for an immediate armistice, pending peace negotiations.

League observers said today's sessions clearly indicated that the war settlement was closely linked with, and probably would be subordinated to, the settlement of the Rhineland dispute.

It was stated that no member of the committee—not even Maxim Litvinoff, the Soviet Foreign Commissioner, spoke forcefully on the Italian-Ethiopian issue.

One observer described the session as being dominated by "collective insincerity."

Action on Complaints.
The committee empowered De Madariaga not only to call Rome's attention to the Ethiopian complaint, but also to explain Ethiopia's stand if the committee chose to hear him. After cooling his heels in an anteroom for an hour, he left again, declaring:

"Thousands of my countrymen are being killed. They are being bombed and gassed. Yet the League does nothing but procrastinate. Italy has been condemned as the aggressor, but the horrible war goes on."

New Italian Offensive.
Both Italy and Ethiopia have agreed to undertake negotiations, but Italy has imposed conditions for its acceptance of the League appeal. Since then the Italian army is reported to have launched a new offensive on the Ethiopian southern front, including heavy bombing of the city of Jijiga, on Ethiopia's only railway to the coast.

Ethiopia has protested against bombings and alleged gas attacks, declaring, "We remain unswayed. There can be no peace until Ethiopia's territory has been freed from the invader."

Ethiopia's stand was set forth in two communications, handed to the League over the week end, in which Emperor Haile Selassie's Government charged Italy with "making use of asphyxiating gases, raining down hyperite on inhabited centers and over immense areas, massacring the population of women, children and aged people."

Spanish Centrist Deputy Wounded.
By the Associated Press.
OVIEDO, Spain, March 23.—Dr. Alfredo Martinez, former Minister of Justice, who is also a Centrist Deputy in the Spanish Parliament, was seriously wounded yesterday by a man whom police identified as a Leftist.

He was shot in the chest while walking through a crowd in Oviedo.

The President's letter to Fechner said: "In reviewing the Emergency Conservation Work program for the period ending March 31, 1937, at which date the Emergency Conservation Work will terminate according to existing law, I have determined that the present number of Civilian Conservation Corps camps shall be maintained unless such camps are reduced as a result of the completion of the work now being performed by the enrollees of any such camps, or the reduction through discharges, separations, or other cause, in the number of enrollees to approximately 163 in any one camp."

"I have also determined that the total number of enrollees for the Civilian Conservation Corps should be gradually reduced to about 350,000 and this number maintained through March 31, 1937."

New Publication Pays Cash.
NEW HIGH PRICES FOR YOUR OLD GOLD AND SILVER—WATCHES JEWELRY—DENTAL GOLD FOR OLD GOLD OLIVE AT NINTH

WINDFALL TAX DECIDED ON BY SUBCOMMITTEE

Measure Designed to Recapture \$100,000,000 of Refunded or Unpaid Processing Levies.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 23.—A House Ways and Means subcommittee agreed today to recommend to the full committee a high windfall tax to recapture perhaps \$100,000,000 of refunded or unpaid AAA processing levies.

"It is safe to say we are going to recommend the windfall tax," Chairman Samuel B. Hill (Dem.), Washington, told reporters. He added that the subcommittee was working on a report now and expected to complete it Thursday or Friday, to allow the full committee to start open hearings next Monday on the President's \$792,000,000 tax program.

No decision was reached as to the rate for the windfall levy, Hill said, but members of the subcommittee have been talking of 80 per cent.

The windfall tax was part of a three-point program suggested by President Roosevelt. He advised Congress that from it and new, broadened processing taxes, \$517,000,000 might be raised over two or three years to plug the hole left in this year's Federal revenues by invalidation of the AAA taxes. In addition, he suggested that \$200,000,000 be raised by taxes on dividends and undistributed net income of corporations.

The subcommittee has worked out major difficulties arising over the corporate tax and is in tentative agreement on rates. Members are hoping, however, to avoid processing taxes this year.

After consulting with Solicitor-General Stanley Reed in a subcommittee morning session, Hill said he thought the windfall tax would be legal.

"The question is," he said, "how to treat the subject in order to have a higher tax on that particular source of income and to segregate it from other, and what we might term regular, sources, so it would not be subject to all the deductions which are allowable in arriving at a statutory net income."

Five Students Beaten.
LJUBLJANA, Yugoslavia, March 23.—Five theology students were beaten yesterday for their refusal to participate in a general strike proclaimed by students demanding lower university fees. They were taken to a hospital.

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110,100 Need Aid in Pennsylvania And West Virginia Flood Areas

Survey of Pittsburgh, Johnstown and Wheeling Made By Red Cross—Cities Pause in Reconstruction to Bury Dead.

By the Associated Press.
PITTSBURGH, March 23.—The great flood area paused in the work of reconstruction today to bury the dead. There were funeral processions in Pittsburgh, Johnstown, Wheeling, W. Va., and smaller communities in which more than 100 persons lost their lives.

In suburban Etta yesterday a sorrowing throng walked to the cemetery behind the bodies of a woman and five children, trapped by the flood in their home and then burned to death in a fire which followed an explosion in a nut and bolt factory.

The heavy task of feeding and sheltering homeless was well in hand with Red Cross agencies established in every stricken community. A Red Cross survey showed 110,100 persons required aid. Pittsburgh had 58,990 men, women and children and surrounding communities had another 51,000. Twenty towns along the Ohio River were not included in the survey.

Red Cross executives said gifts of money would be gratefully accepted but donations of food and clothing were unnecessary as there is plenty of both on hand.

Pittsburgh Situation Improved.
No epidemics have followed the inundation in this area. Dr. R. L. Jones, head of the Red Cross medical unit in Pittsburgh, said "We look for no epidemic of disease."

Concern over a possible water famine in Pittsburgh passed away as millions of gallons of filtered drinking water were pumped into reservoirs. Medical authorities said food and water might now be considered safe.

With the water problem apparently solved, firemen prepared to disband the dynamite squad which had been held in readiness in case of fires. Flames caused enormous damage at the height of the inundation.

Pittsburgh, counting 56 dead and at least 400 injured in the metropolitan area, was beginning to show the effects of the gigantic cleanup undertaken by 25,000 workers. Relatives and friends reported 42 missing to the morgue in addition to the announced dead.

Store Fronts Shattered.
The "Golden Triangle" business area still showed the effects of the waters in shattered store fronts and tons of debris piled high, but order was rapidly being restored. Pittsburgh had 80 per cent of its power system in operation, street cars increased their service and railways were moving back to normalcy.

There was enough serum on hand to inoculate 400,000 against typhoid, but doctors feared no outbreak.

After caring for the homeless, sick and destitute, the big task in the suburbs was cleaning out mud-filled houses to allow the occupants to return and also to forestall disease threats.

22 Dead at Johnstown.
While Johnstown mobilized its entire citizenry in the fight to restore normalcy, the death list there rose to 22.

At Wheeling, 2000 families still were cared for in special shelters as the first refugees moved back to survey their twisted and dirt-filled homes. Most of the homeless were from the populous island in the middle of the Ohio, which was completely covered in the flood.

Doctors began mass inoculations today while means were sought to find heat for the stranded. Gas supplies were still out in some sections. Communication systems remained disrupted.

All the stricken communities were asked to send in estimates of their losses, to the tri-state authority in Pittsburgh as the first step in a campaign to create a far-flung reservoir system designed to make return of such disastrous inundations impossible. State Senator William B. Rodgers said there will be an emergency meeting of executives of 280 cities and towns within two weeks to plan a campaign.

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NEW ICE SWEEPS DOWN THE UPPER MISSISSIPPI

Tributary in Minnesota Bursts Dike and Inundates 30-Mile Section.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, March 23.—Fields of newly-broken ice swept down the Mississippi today while overburdened tributaries of the river surged over thousands of acres.

A dike in the Minnesota River burst yesterday despite the efforts of WPA workers. Three feet of water spread over a part of Norman, Minn. A dozen families in the community of 2900 persons fled to higher ground. Furniture was moved to upper floors.

Farmsteads were abandoned and livestock herded to the hills as the same stream inundated 30 mile section of low territory between Mankato and New Ulm, Minn. Several sections were flooded near Le Sueur and Chaska.

The Cannon River engulfed hundreds of acres of bottom land near Red Wing, Minn. Three feet of water canceled operations on a Chicago Great Western Railroad, Red Wing-Randolph line.

Heavy sheaths of ice broke up in the Black, La Crosse and Mississippi rivers in the La Crosse Wis. vicinity. There was no immediate damage and no further rise in the Mississippi's level.

The Missouri River gorges moved out in North Dakota. A rise of more than four feet in 24 hours was reported at Omaha.

AMERICAN DENTIST'S WIFE,
SHOT BY BRAHMAN, DIES

Victim of High Caste Hindu, Who Killed Himself in British Guiana.

GEORGETOWN, British Guiana, March 23.—Mrs. Roma Whitney, 33-year-old estranged wife of an American dentist in Jamaica, died in a hospital here yesterday, just a week after Ramsabhai Mistry wounded her with a revolver and then committed suicide.

Mrs. Whitney, who once ranked high in a beauty contest here, apparently suffered a relapse following the death of Mistry. Brahman (high caste Hindu), who had been her close friend, Mistry was married nine years ago.

Surviving Mrs. Whitney are a 67-year-old husband, Dr. S. P. Whitney, and her 5-year-old daughter, Gloria, who witnessed the shooting.

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SHERIFF DEUSER PUT ON TRIAL ON CHARGE OF FRAUD

State's Case on Alleged
Creating on Prisoners'
Food at Jail Completed
in 90 Minutes.

WITNESS TESTIFIES
TO INCORRECT BILLS

Tells Jury Wetterau Co. In-
voices Contained Mis-
takes in Multiplication,
Increasing Totals.

The state's case against Sheriff
Philip G. Deuser of St. Louis County,
charged with conspiracy to de-
fraud the county in the handling
of its official accounts for the
feeding of prisoners, was presented
in 90 minutes this afternoon before
Circuit Judge Ransom A. Brewer
at Clayton.

Judge Brewer, who is from Her-
mann, sat in Judge Mueller's court-
room.

John J. Wolfe, associate Prosecu-
tor General, outlined to the
jury, at the opening of the after-
noon session, what the state ex-
pected to prove. He said it would be
shown that Deuser and Harry J.
Hoch, superintendent for a St. Louis
grocery firm, prepared some in-
voices at Deuser's request, which
both Deuser and Hoch knew to be
false; and that these invoices con-
stituted an attempt to lead the
county court to believe that the
cost of feeding prisoners was higher
than it actually was, so that it
would fix a high rate of allowance.

The indictment charged that the
invoices, from G. H. Wetterau &
Sons Grocery Co., purported to show
purchases of foodstuffs amounting
to \$255, when in fact only \$62
worth was purchased. Hoch, who
was indicted with Sheriff Deuser on
the conspiracy charge, lives at
4242 Louisiana avenue, St. Louis.
A severance was taken today in
the Deuser-Hoch case, and the state
elected to try Deuser first.

Defense Statement.
A. E. L. Gardner, defense lawyer,
in outlining the defense case to
the jury, said it was based only on
the blunder of a bookkeeper. "After
you hear the evidence," he said,
"you will consider this case a joke,
but it is a tragedy for the Sheriff."

Gardner said it would be shown
that the county court, seeking to
arrive at an estimate of prisoner-
feeding cost, had Harper and another
auditor, Ray Schuessler, "haunt-
ing" the Sheriff's office for weeks,
going through his records with a
fine-tooth comb. When the investi-
gators asked for records, he said,
Deuser replied that he did not have
the records, but would try to get
them, and telephoned to the grocery
firm.

"An invoice came," he said, "and
Deuser made no investigation of its
correctness. It proved to be incor-
rect, through a bookkeeper's mis-
takes, and the county court paid
no attention to it, but got compara-
tive figures as to feeding costs at
the County Hospital and CCC
camps. The rate, he said, had
been "from time immemorial" 75
cents a day per prisoner, but this
was reduced to 30 cents, and was
then made 45 cents.

Judge Thatcher on Stand.
Thomas H. Thatcher, presiding
member of the county court, was
the first witness. He testified that
the court, in its inquiry into feed-
ing costs, got figures from the St.
Louis City Workhouse, from rail-
road contractors, from hospitals
and from the United States Army.
He said Harper was sent to see the
Sheriff, and returned with some
invoices which appeared to be in-
correctly billed. He said Harper
was acting as auditor by appoint-
ment of the county court. He told
of the final fixing of the 45-cent
rate.

Harper, who lives at 147 West
Adams avenue, Kirkwood, was the
next witness. He testified that
when the county court fixed the
rate for feeding prisoners at a ten-
tative figure of 30 cents a day, the
Sheriff objected, and that "the
court referred it to the Sheriff and
me to work out a rate."

Harper said he told Deuser it
would be necessary to have records
of cost over a fixed period, and that
Deuser then furnished him with
duplicate invoices from the Wet-
terau Co., which he, Harper, had
photographed before returning
them. Eleven photographic copies
were introduced in evidence.

Incorrect Multiplication.
Checking over the bills, Harper
said, he found that figures had
been multiplied incorrectly, so as
to make sums much larger than the
actual amount of the bills. For in-
stance, he said, six cases of some
apple, at \$24 a dozen, would be
killed at 6 times \$24, or \$144, where-
as it should be \$72, since a case
was half a dozen, and 6 half-cases
were only three dozen. He said 10
of the 11 invoices contained errors.
Harper testified that Deuser, in
giving him the invoices obtained
from Hoch, said that, according to

Steel Rings for Gold for St. Louis Italian Women



RENATO CITARELLI, Italian Consul of St. Louis, presenting steel rings to Italian-American women, yesterday, to replace the gold wedding rings they gave to aid Italy in the war against Ethiopia. MRS. JOSEPH RAVARINO, 6640 Oakland avenue, is shown receiving a steel ring in the ceremony held at the Italian House, 3740 Lindell boulevard.

ST. LOUIS WOMEN GET FASCIST STEEL RINGS

Italian Consul Formally Pre-
sents Them in Exchange
for Gold Ones.

Italian-American women of St.
Louis and vicinity who gave their
gold wedding rings to aid Italy in
the war against Ethiopia were pre-
sented with steel rings by Renato
Citarelli, Italian Consul of St. Louis,
at a ceremony held yesterday at the
Italian House, 3740 Lindell boulevard.

The steel rings, made from the
metal of World War guns, were
finished to resemble white gold and
were made in the old-style pattern
with rounded surface. Made in 16
sizes, the rings were inscribed,
"They gave their gold for the Fa-
therland." About 250 women re-
ceived the substitute rings.

A presentation speech was made
in Italian by the Consul, who
praised the patriotism of the women
and told them the steel of the
rings symbolized the strength and
unity of the Italian people.

About 1500 gold wedding rings
had been received from women in
five states, over which the Italian
Consul here has jurisdiction, after
Premier Mussolini had asked women
of Italy to contribute their rings
to the war chest. About 450 were
received from women of St. Louis
and vicinity.

The value of the gold rings, which
were forwarded to the Italian em-
bassy at Washington, was \$7500, the
Italian Consul estimated. Many of
them had been purchased originally
in Italian jewelry shops, and had
been worn by women who married
in Italy and later made their homes
in the United States. Others were
of American make and design and
were given by American-born women
of Italian descent.

The bills, feeding cost 71 cents a
day per prisoner.

Cross-Examination.
On cross-examination by Gard-
ner, Harper said that when he told
Deuser he had found mistakes in
the invoices, Deuser said, "Is that
so?" He said this conversation was
about Jan. 1, and that the 45-cent
rate was fixed in open court Jan.
24.

"Sheriff Deuser was in court Jan.
24, was he not, and I was there
with him," Gardner asked, and the
witness assented.

"And nothing was said about
those bills?" "No."

T. C. Wetterau Testifies.
Theodore C. Wetterau, vice-pres-
ident of the grocery company, was
called, but was able to testify only
that Hoch was the salesman who
handled Deuser's business.

William O. Buhrman, 4243 Gravois
avenue, St. Louis, credit manager
for the company, testified that he
looked over the records of actual
purchases by the Sheriff for the
period covered by the bills, last
July to November, and found only
\$82 posted on the charge account.
The charges that the bills showed
\$2155. He said he looked through
records of cash sales, and found
no record of any additional
purchases by Deuser, but said it
would have been possible for some
cash purchase items not to be re-
corded. He said the invoices ap-
peared to be in Hoch's handwriting.

At 3:30 p. m. the state closed its
case. The jury was sequestered.
Another case, in which the Sheriff
is charged with fraud in office, in
the same matter of his accounts
for feeding prisoners, was set for
next Monday in Judge John A.
Wittman's court.

Both the offenses charged are
misdemeanors. The indictments
were returned Feb. 27 by a special
county grand jury instructed to in-
vestigate official acts of all county
officers having charge of public
funds.

The penalty in event of convic-
tion is a fine of not more than \$500,
or imprisonment in the jail for not
more than one year, or both fine
and imprisonment.

APPEAL ALLOWED ON FEES IN FIRE INSURANCE SUITS

Judge Sevier Overrules Motions to
Increase Official Bonds of
Recipients.

JEFFERSON CITY, March 23.—
Orders by Circuit Judge Nike Se-
vier granting an appeal by At-
torney-General McKittick from an
allowance of \$100,000 in additional
fees in one of the pending fire in-
surance rate suits, and overruling
motions that the official bonds of
two of the fee recipients be in-
creased from \$20,000 to \$200,000,
were entered today in Cole County
Circuit Court.

The State Insurance Department
joined in the appeal from the allow-
ances. The additional fees were
\$40,000 each to Lewis Hord Cook
and State Representative H. P.
Lauf of Jefferson City, commis-
sioners and custodians in the so-called
excess premium restitution case,
growing out of a 10 per cent rate
reduction ordered in 1922, and \$200,
000 to Gilbert Lamb, their counsel.
McKittick also appealed from an
order of the Circuit Court, releasing
fire insurance companies involved
in the restitution suit from further
liability, after they recently com-
pleted payment of a final judgment
of \$1,073,000 against them. He
contended this release would relieve
the companies, which lost in the
litigation, from payment of fees and
other costs of handling the fund im-
pounded in the case. The fund to-
tals \$2,750,000.

THIRD LAMSON MURDER JURY REVIEWS MEDICAL TESTIMONY

Asks About Evidence That Mrs.
Lamson's Hair Had Been Pulled
Before Her Death.

SAN JOSE, Cal., March 23.—
There was no sign of a verdict
when the jury deliberating on the
case of David A. Lamson was taken
to lunch today. Lamson is charged
with murdering his wife, Memorial
day, 1933.

Deadlocked since Friday, the jury
went ahead today with further re-
view of medical testimony.

The jury asked to hear again the
answers of Dr. A. W. Meyers, Stan-
ford University anatomy professor,
tending to show Mrs. Allene Lam-
son's hair had been pulled violently.
Her body was found in the bath-
tub of their home, and the prose-
cution contended she was beaten
with an iron pipe. Lamson, ex-
cutive of the Stanford University
Press, at the time of her death,
contends she was fatally hurt in a
fall.

PLEA FOR FLOOD RELIEF GIFTS MADE IN COMMUNITY FORUM

Red Cross Executive Says on Radio
That 300,000 Persons Are Re-
ceiving Care.

An appeal for contributions to the
Red Cross fund for Eastern flood
sufferers and an outline of the
program of the Resettlement Ad-
ministration constituted the Com-
munity Forum address yesterday
over radio station KSD.

The Red Cross, which has ob-
tained \$11,155 toward a local quota
of \$58,000, was represented by P. H.
Byrns, executive secretary of the
St. Louis chapter, who said 300,000
persons were receiving emergency
care in 13 states affected by floods.
Relief work will be necessary for
several months, he said, not only to
furnish necessities of life but to
prevent disease. In many instances
drinking water supplies and sewage
systems have been disrupted, Byrns
pointed out. Contributions may be
sent to the St. Louis chapter at 1706
Olive street.

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13TH DISTRICT G. O. P. MEETING FOR LONDON

Convention Adopts Resolution
Instructing Its Dele-
gates for Kansan.

A resolution instructing dele-
gates to the Republican national
convention to support Gov. Alf Lan-
don of Kansas for the presidential
nomination was adopted by the
Thirteenth Congressional District
Convention at 1300 Benton street
today. A similar resolution was
withdrawn at the Eleventh District
convention, Tenth street and Mor-
rison avenue, when its defeat be-
came apparent, and this delegation
was left uninstructed.

The third local district, the
Twelfth, met at the Century Boat
Club in the afternoon.

In a stormy session lasting an
hour and a half, the Thirteenth
District, covering the northern part
of the city, selected as its dele-
gates Charles L. Moore, 4528 Du-
rant avenue, member and secretary
of the Election Board, and Mrs.
Celeste T. Blesse, 3748 St. Louis
avenue, Republican committeewoman
of the Twenty-eighth Ward and a
member of the Republican State
Committee.

Alternates chosen were Mrs.
Mary Detchemendy, 5337 Cove Bril-
liant avenue, Twenty-seventh
Ward committeewoman, and Mrs.
W. H. Allen, 3808 Ashland avenue.
Thomas E. Nester, Third Ward
committeeman, and Mrs. Louis J.
Brooks, former Twenty-eighth
Ward committeewoman, were de-
feated for delegates. The vote was:
Moore, 49; Brooks, 45; Nester,
20; Mrs. Brooks, 18. Nester an-
nounced he would contest the re-
sult at the State convention April
27, on the ground that the wrong
delegations were seated at the dis-
trict meeting from the Twenty-first
and Twenty-seventh Wards. From
the latter ward, 12 delegates head-
ed by Mrs. Detchemendy were re-
cognized rather than a group led by
Committeeman Henry W. Dawson.

From the Twenty-first, 10 delegates
under Committeeman Fred W. Evers
were seated instead of the fol-
lowing of Mrs. Marie Nottbusch,
committeewoman.

The Eleventh District chose as
its delegates Frederick Stueck, law-
yer and president of the Young
Men's Republican Club of St. Louis,
3940 Hartford street, and Harry R.
Bracy, Negro, lawyer and former
clerk in a Justice of the Peace
court, 2939 Lawton boulevard.

To settle a contest between
Sixth Ward delegations supporting
and opposing Constable Langston
Harrison, Negro, the ward com-
mitteeman, it was decided to seat
three from each faction and three
others agreeable to both sides. The
meeting endorsed Arthur M. Curtis
of Springfield for re-election as Re-
publican national committeeman.

Stueck defeated William H. Hu-
bele, veteran Seventh Ward com-
mitteeman, 48 to 39.

Alternates to the national con-
vention from this district were
Richard E. Gruner, Twenty-fifth
Ward Committeeman, 5535 Water-
man boulevard, and Mrs. Elizabeth
Gamble, Negro.

70-MILE GALE IN NEW YORK
By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 23.—A gale
swept New York yesterday, loosen-
ing signs and copings. Two men
were injured.

Observers in the Empire State
Building reported velocities of 70 to
100 miles an hour. The Weather Bu-
reau clocked the wind at 60 miles
an hour.

MAN KILLS SELF IN AUTO WITH ESTRANGED WIFE

Failing to Effect Reconci-
tiation, Washington T.
Schiffer Fires Shot Into
His Abdomen.

Washington T. Schiffer, 31 years
old, 1705 State street, East St.
Louis, who shot himself in the ab-
domen at 8:30 a. m. yesterday when
he failed to effect a reconciliation
with his former wife, died at 8:05
a. m. today in St. Mary's Hospital,
East St. Louis.

He shot himself with a revolver
as he sat talking to the former
wife, Mrs. Genevieve Coffey Schif-
fer, in his automobile outside her
home, 1601 North Forty-sixth street,
East St. Louis.

Mrs. Schiffer, daughter of Ed-
ward J. Coffey, freight agent for
the Southern Railroad and former
president of the East St. Louis
Chamber of Commerce, obtained an
uncontested divorce in Circuit Court
at Belleville March 22, 1935. Two
months later Schiffer married Mrs.
Inez Clark Way, but she obtained
an annulment after 12 days, assert-
ing she had been too nervous and
fatigued to realize what was taking
place at the ceremony at 4 a. m.

Schiffer's foster father, Charles
M. Horner, vice-president and gen-
eral manager of the East St. Louis
& Interurban Water Co., told a
Post-Dispatch reporter his foster
son, still "very much in love" with
his former wife, had gone to talk
to her in an effort to effect a re-
conciliation on the first anniversary
of their divorce.

Horner, with whom Schiffer
made his home, said she refused his
foster son's plea for remarriage.
After the shooting, Horner related,
Mrs. Schiffer became hysterical,
ran into her home and told her
brother, E. W. Coffey, who called
a physician. Several blood trans-
fusions were given to Schiffer at
the hospital.

Schiffer was employed as a fore-
man in the maintenance depart-
ment of the East St. Louis & In-
terurban Water Co. He had been
married about 10 years to Mrs.
Genevieve Schiffer, by whom he
had three children, Charles, 8 years
old, and Jack and Jill, 5-year-old
twins.

PLEA TO USE MEMORIAL FUNDS FOR FLOOD RELIEF

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Federal courts. If these suits fail,
then others will be instituted chal-
lenging the right of the city to in-
sue the bonds on the contention
that the debt limitation will not
permit issuance of any more bonds.
"It appears certain that Congress
will not appropriate any more funds
for the memorial. And our fight on
this matter has had not a little in-
fluence in the stand Congress has
taken against the Florida ship can-
al, Passamaquoddy Bay and other
such 'pork' projects."

Peters said he intended to remain
in Washington several weeks con-
tinuing his campaign to stop the
memorial.

POLICEMAN DIES OF STABBING BY PRISONER MAR. 13

Henry DeKeersgieter, 54,
Succumbs at His Home
Following Attack of Sep-
tic Pneumonia.

Patrolman Henry de Keersgieter
died at 12:20 a. m. today at his
home, 4031 Winnebago street, as a
result of a stab wound of the neck
inflicted on March 13 by a Negro
whom he had arrested on a minor
charge.

The Negro, Zolite Tate, 20, who
fled as the officer fired two shots
at him, was arrested last week at
Memphis, Tenn., and was brought
back to St. Louis.

DeKeersgieter, 54 years old, lost
a large amount of blood from the
wound. An autopsy, disclosed death
resulted from septic pneumonia.

At Chouteau and Grattan.
The stabbing occurred at a patrol
box at Chouteau avenue and Grat-
tan street as De Keersgieter was
calling Third District for the police
patrol. After stabbing the officer,
Tate broke away and fled, losing
his hat, which was used to trace
him. DeKeersgieter reported he
had arrested Tate at 4:45 a. m.
when he saw the Negro removing
tools from an automobile parked in
Grattan street. After firing two
shots at the Negro, DeKeersgieter
collapsed on the sidewalk. The tele-
phone operator at Third District
overheard the noise of the struggle
and dispatched officers to the scene.

During DeKeersgieter's brief
questioning of the Negro, the latter
told him his name was Tate. De-
tectives William Dunman, George
Parker and Hilbert Hungeford found
associates of the fugitive, who iden-
tified the soft brown hat dropped
during the flight as belonging to
Zolite Tate. The detectives learned
that Tate had relatives at Memphis,
and asked police there to watch for
him.

Negro's Story of Stabbing.
Tate, who was sentenced to a
reformatory when he was 12 years
old, wept when told at police head-
quarters today that the officer had
died. The prisoner explained that
he had an open knife in his pocket
when arrested by DeKeersgieter
because of previous trouble with an-
other Negro. He told police he was
under the intoxicating effects of
marijuana cigarettes at the time.
After stabbing the officer, he ran
to the railroad yards and climbed
aboard an outbound freight train.

DeKeersgieter was too ill to view
the prisoner when Tate was re-
turned to St. Louis, but Tate iden-
tified a photograph of the officer.
The charge against the Negro was
changed from assault to kill to mur-
der, pending an inquest.

DeKeersgieter joined the police
force in May, 1918, and for a short
time was in the Detective Bureau.
He was known familiarly as "Casey."
His wife and two grown children
survive.

Chief Police Hurt by Gas Bomb.
Chief of Police George Ward of
University City suffered cuts of the
face and hands Saturday night,
when a tear gas bomb which he
was showing to a friend in the
office burst in his hand. The gas
chamber did not explode, however.
Ward was at his office today.

OFFICER KILLED



HENRY DE KEERSGIETER.

COURT DENOUNCES WILFRED JONES AS ESTATE EXECUTOR

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said to a Post-Dispatch reporter
today that he had received no com-
plaint, so far, of Jones' actions as
executor of the Meyer estate. If a
complaint should be received, it
would be studied and if it appeared
to involve a law violation would be
referred to the grand jury, he said.

The proceedings which finally re-
sulted in Jones' removal were in-
stituted by Meyer and his lawyer,
John A. Dowdall. Jones is under
indictment on a charge of perjury
for his testimony in the Muench
baby case, and is also charged in
an information with conspiracy to
take custody of two children in-
stated in the baby hoax, without
authority of the Juvenile Court. Co-
defendants in the latter case, set
for trial at Kahoka, Mo., on April
8, are Mrs. Helen Berroyer, Dr. and
Mrs. Ludwig O. Muench. Mrs. Ber-
royer is also under indictment for
perjury.

Jones' Trial on Perjury Charge Set for April 7.

Wilfred Jones' trial on a charge
of perjury in his testimony in the
Muench baby hoax was set today
by Circuit Judge Eugene L. Pad-
berg for April 7. Meanwhile, it was
indicated that the state will dis-
miss the indictments against Jones and
substitute for it an information em-
bodying the same charges. This
will be done to correct a clerical
error in a date in the true bill.

Jones, Dr. and Mrs. Ludwig O.
Muench and Mrs. Helen Berroyer
are scheduled to go to trial April 8
at Kahoka, Mo., on an information
charging them with conspiracy to
take possession of the Price and
Ware infants in the baby hoax
without authority of the Juvenile
Court.

GUSTAVE CYTRON TRIAL OPENS AFTER 8 DELAYS

Jury Chosen—W. C. Wiehe,
Principal Witness for
State, Takes Stand.

Walter C. Wiehe, the state's prin-
cipal witness in the trial of Gustav
Cytron on a charge of obtaining
money by false pretenses in the
operations of the Cytron Mortgage
Co., which collapsed in 1929 with a
loss of nearly \$2,000,000 to invest-
ors, took the witness stand in Judge
Robert J. Kirkwood's court this
afternoon.

Wiehe was the first witness after
the completion of the opening state-
ments to the jury. The trial began
this morning. Previous to today
Cytron had obtained eight continu-
ances of the trial. The indictment,
which charges Cytron and his son,
Stanley L. Cytron, jointly, was voted
nearly four years ago. The father and son obtained severances.
Cytron and his son, Stanley L.
Cytron, were charged jointly with
the offense on which an indictment
was voted almost four years ago.
When they took severances, the
State selected the elder Cytron for
trial.

The case is based on the com-
plaint of Walter E. Wiehe, that sec-
ond mortgage notes of \$6000 fac-
value were sold to him for \$5747
on the representation that they
were secured by a mortgage on the
Hampton Hall Apartments, New-
stead and McPherson avenues, and
that the securing mortgages were
of equal value with the issue of
notes. This was a misrepresentation,
it was charged.

Selection of a jury to try Gustav
Cytron was begun Feb. 4 last, but
the case was continued and the se-
lection abandoned when the defense
pleaded surprise because the state
had that day indorsed the names of
witnesses on an information which
had been filed to replace the indict-
ment. The names were identical
with those on the indictment.

FORMER RELIEF OFFICIAL GETS 8 MONTHS FOR BRIBERY

Released on Bail After Conviction
Pending Action by Maine
Supreme Court.

AUGUSTA, Me., March 23.—
George W. Martin, former supply
officer of the Maine Emergency Re-
lief Administration, was convicted
of bribery by a jury today. Jus-
tice William H. Fisher sentenced
him to eight months in jail, but re-
leased him on \$1000 bail pending
decision by the Supreme Court on
exceptions taken by counsel.

Madlin is one of 18 persons in-
dicted in the Maine County. One
of six bribery counts returned
against Martin was ruled out by
Justice Fisher. Each of the re-
maining five counts involved al-
leged bribes of \$100 each.

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WOMAN ROBBED OF JEWELRY

Visitor to Chicago Places Loss at \$1500.
 By the Associated Press.
 CHICAGO, March 22.—Seized by two men as she alighted from a

street car, Mrs. Anna Wilensky, 40 years old, of New York, was robbed of jewels and clothing valued at \$1500 and \$32 yesterday.
 Mrs. Wilensky told police the men took five diamond rings valued at \$1225, a sealink coat valued at \$75, her hat and purse.

MUSSOLINI TAKES

OVER ALL LARGE PRIVATE INDUSTRY

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party reached fulfillment of its purpose.

Remarks on Sanctions.

Concerning sanctions, being applied by the League of Nations as punishment for Italy's war in Ethiopia, Mussolini said:

"The siege now in its fifth month will never bend Italy. Only opaque ignorance could have brought a thought otherwise."

He declared "political autonomy can no more be achieved without equivalent economic autonomy."

He warned his hearers that Italy would not return to the status held last Nov. 17—the day before sanctions were imposed.

"He who thinks so is mistaken," he declared.

Mussolini called it inconceivable in connection with his abolition of large private industries, that any profits should be permitted to be drawn from manufacture of war materials.

Standing beneath the huge flags of the Italian provinces, under the shadow of a great statue of his ancient ideal, Julius Caesar, Il Duce declared sanctions "will remain a mark of infamy in the history of Europe, just as furnishing material and moral aid to Ethiopia will remain as a page of dishonor."

He said Italy now had enough iron for either peace or war.

Italy's economic plan, he asserted, is "dominated by the one premise of the inescapability of the fact that the nation will be called to the task of war."

War Determining Element.

"This dramatic eventuality must guide all our actions," he proclaimed. "In the present historical period, the fact of war, together with the doctrine of Fascism, are the determining elements in the position of the state with regard to the economy of the nation."

With regard to large private industries, he said, "We are going toward the period in which these industries will have neither the time nor the possibility of working for private consumption, but will have to labor exclusively, or almost, for the armed forces of the nation."

The Highest Sacrifice.

Il Duce concluded his speech by declaring:

"The indomitable will of generations is now coming up to capacity for the highest sacrifice, namely that of blood, which, it has been demonstrated three times in this first period of the century, are sufficient elements to raise our faith and to open the gates for our future."

The Dictator read his speech, but spoke away from the text at various times, especially when he received great ovations.

He declared no nation could reach 100 per cent economic autonomy, but "every nation seeks to liberate itself as much as possible from foreign servitude."

Question of Raw Materials.

Citing a long list of raw materials which Italy has developed in recent years, including the product from new coal and iron mines, he declared:

"It will not longer be possible to speak of Italy as poor in raw materials. Italy must be spoken of now as poor in some raw materials, but rich in many others."

After the chamber of corporations ended its meeting, Mussolini spoke again from the balcony of the Palazzo Venezia to cheering throngs of Blackshirts.

He recalled that 17 years ago today a "fistful" of Blackshirts gathered at Milan for the purpose of revolutionizing Italy's political system and their dreams had been realized, at least as far as Italy is concerned.

Referring to the troubled European times, Mussolini said "do not become disheartened." He said Fascism was now so thoroughly entrenched that the nation could expect to meet any contingency.

Blackshirted Fascists paraded, waved flags, cheered and shouted "Viva Il Duce" through the nation in celebration of their party's birthday.

Seventeen years ago, Mussolini's followers pledged him their allegiance in San Sepolero Plaza, Milan, launching his movement. The Fascist party emblem was carried from the Littorio Palace, Fascist headquarters in Rome, and displayed for the day on a balcony of Mussolini's offices in the Piazza Venezia.

The tri-color waved from every building housing Fascist activities. Tonight, the buildings will be illuminated with floodlights and electric candles.

Names of War Dead.

At provincial ceremonies, Fascists heard a proclamation of the names of their companions who have died in the Ethiopian war. Young Fascist groups observed the day with sports programs and enrollment in a compulsory course of political instruction.

Party members who have produced since last year evidence of participation in the March on Rome received medals and certificates from their leaders. Similar observances were conducted in the colonies and throughout the world, wherever Fascist groups are organized.

The Council of Guilds, called by Fascists the "high command" of Italy's civilian efforts to combat sanctions, was called originally under the presidency of Mussolini to report on its counter-sanction efforts and to suggest means for closer co-operation between the 22 guilds.

The units of this civilian mobilization, namely each individual guild, already have reported to Il Duce as commander-in-chief on individual guild measures to strengthen a national self-sufficiency against sanctions.

An old scheme of Mussolini's, the

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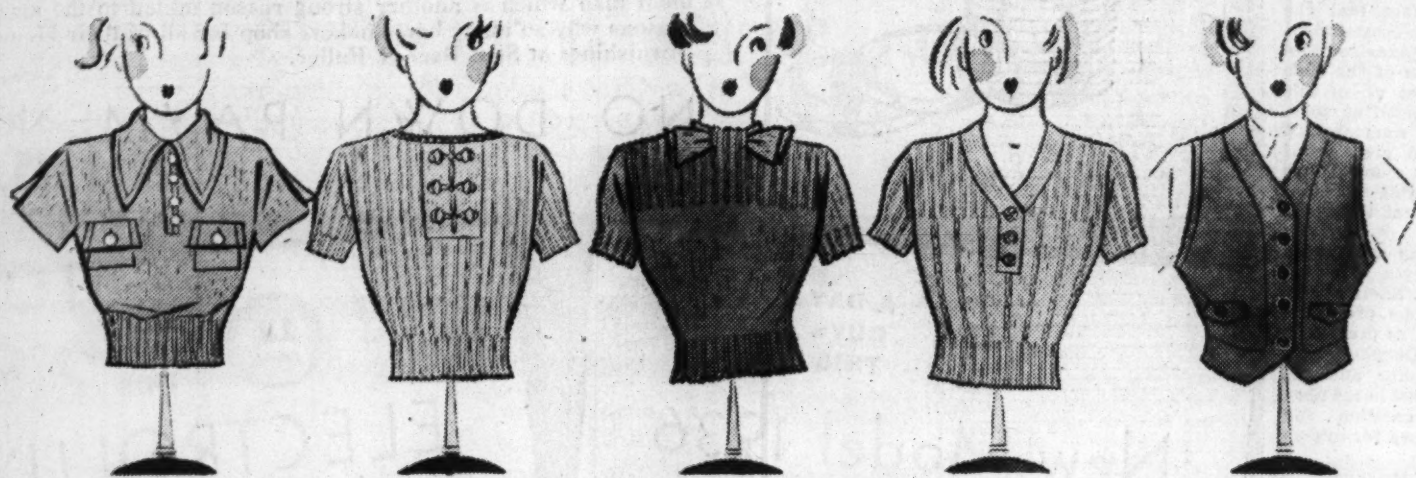
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BACK FROM SYDNEY



Associated Press Photo.
MISS HELEN TWELVETREES.

MOVIE actress, on liner Mariposa on her return to Hollywood, Cal., from Australia, where she had a part in a motion picture production.

MUSSOLINI TAKES OVER ALL LARGE PRIVATE INDUSTRY

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corporate state reached something akin to maturity early in 1933. In that year existing workers and employers confederations were carefully banded into the 22 guilds. From then on they were supposed to take the full responsibility of "self-disciplining" national production, while Mussolini as supreme chieftain watched to see that the consuming public did not suffer.

Creation of Guilds. At the time, creation of the 22 corporations was described as a definite break with the capitalist, liberal and Socialistic economic ideas of contemporary and past history. Corporatism was to be a thing of itself, a new economic structure to lead Italy, and eventually the world, out of financial depression.

Sanctions found the guilds assuming ever greater responsibilities in full stride. The 22 corporations reported to Mussolini much material national progress which, economists said, could not have been stimulated except by external pressure.

Industrialists, merchants, chemists, technicians, miners—all have had their efforts directed by the various corporations into intense production and distribution of the things the country needs.

These things the individual corporations reported. Today they began on a wide inter-guild basis to eliminate waste still further, and to mesh more exactly the gears of national economic activity.

Conference Concluded. Before carrying out his domestic measures, Mussolini concluded his three-day conferences with Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg of Austria and Premier Julius Goebboes of Hungary. A communique said the conversations resulted in accord strengthening the ties between the three nations.

Although not officially disclosed in detail, the new accords were reported by informed sources to make closer political and economic ties, with a permanent committee to maintain contact between the three nations on common interests.

The new tri-partite accords were regarded as accomplishments of great significance, enhancing Italy's prestige in central Europe. Informed sources pointed out the elasticity of the agreements as now understood, would leave room for still greater extension of Fascist influence abroad. Thus, these sources contended, an entirely new political lineup might eventually be erected over the ruins of the defunct Stresa front of Italy, Britain and France.

Pope Pius granted a private audience at Vatican City to Chancellor Schuschnigg this morning, and late another audience to Foreign Minister Egon Berger-Wandeneck of Austria. Amory Matthews of Boston, Mass., was among the four chamberlains forming an honor guard for the statesmen.

BARON RATHDOWN, DEVELOPER OF WEST TEXAS AREA, DIES

Succeeded to His Title on Death of Uncle in 1911; Later Returned to Live in England.
SAN ANGELO, Tex., March 22.—Baron Rathdown, the eighth Viscount Godfrey John Boyle Chetwynd, who played a prominent part in the development of this area of West Texas, died here yesterday. He was 73 years old.

He succeeded to his title upon the death of an uncle in 1911, returning to live in England after having a prominent role in building up this portion of West Texas. During the World War he was managing director of the National Shell Filling Factory operated by Vickers and the British Government at Chilwell, in York, England.

Lord Chetwynd was a geologist of note and had been doing extensive geological work in this section during the last six months.

JUSTIN MCCARTHY, PLAYWRIGHT, DIES

Among His Plays Was "If I Were King," Adapted Into "The Vagabond King."

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, March 23.—The death Saturday of Justin McCarthy, dramatist, novelist and historian, who wrote the play, "If I Were King," which was adapted into the musical play, "The Vagabond King," was announced yesterday. He was 75 years old.

Other plays by him included: "The White Carnation," "The Highwayman," "The Wife of Socrates," "The Proud Prince," "The O'Flynn," "Charlemagne" and "Stand and Deliver." Mr. McCarthy, who was a journalist for a number of years, traveled widely and spent much time in the United States, among other lands. He was the author of a "Short History of the United States" and also wrote works on the French Revolution, Irish history and "England Under Gladstone."

He was twice married but had no children.

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Stoddard County Accounts
Found Short by \$48,940

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of the county. In past years some County Courts in some counties have issued warrants in excess of the revenue of the county, thereby creating an indebtedness which was solved by protesting warrants. When a warrant is protested it is an added burden on the taxpayers by forcing them to pay interest.

Could Cut Debt 50 Per Cent.
"By the County Court insisting that proper adjustments be made and funds returned to the county, this protested warrant debt could be reduced 50 per cent, thereby saving taxpayers of Stoddard County a considerable sum on interest alone. It will strengthen the financial position of the county as a whole, effecting savings in the purchase of necessary supplies and equipment and thereby reducing materially the operating expenses of the county."

"The financial condition of this county," the report continues, "has been given wide publicity by the extensive trading in its warrants and the excessive discount rates thereon, a condition no doubt aggravated by the incompetence of some officials and the resorting to illegal practices on the part of others, who, in their desire for personal gain, have so depressed the face value of Stoddard County warrants."

"In some instances warrants were sold at discounts of 40 per cent with an average discount of 25 per cent in 1934, while the discount rate on some years prior to 1934 has ranged upward to 80 per cent."

No Court Jurisdiction.
Referring to the action of the County Court in remitting interest penalties on delinquent county taxes, the report stated "The Court had no jurisdiction in the matter and, to say the least, was ill-advised in making such orders."

In refusing to remit penalties on its part of the collections, the State referred the County Court to statutes making it mandatory upon the Collector to collect penalties. However, wholesale remission of penalties on county taxes continued.

Good assumed office as Collector April 1, 1931, and during his last few weeks in office filed several hundred tax suits and later, in many instances, these tax suits were compromised through the Collector's office and by approval of the County Court. The suits were filed, in various instances by Briney, K. W. Blomeyer and M. Wauker Cooper, who were entitled to fees as attorney for the Collector based on the amount "actually

collected and paid into the treasury."

The attorneys, however, based the amount of their fees and those of other county officers on the amount sued for instead of the amount collected, and Good's shortage includes excess fees paid his attorneys.

Followed Same Practice.
The same basis of computing fees was followed after Good was succeeded as Collector by the late Charles Buck on April 1, 1933. Buck died Nov. 17, 1934, and Briney, his tax attorney was appointed to succeed him Nov. 17, 1934. Briney, as Collector, continued the practice.

"The examiners," the report said, "specifically called the attention of Mr. Briney to the fact that the collection of excess commissions and attorney fees on taxes compromised was in violation of the statutes and would be set up in this examination and reported as such. However, despite this warning, Mr. Briney continued the practice of charging these excess commissions during the period of this examination and also subsequent to March 1, 1935."

When property was sold at a Sheriff's sale to satisfy a judgment for delinquent taxes, Sheriff Barham followed the same procedure in making his return, as previously disclosed by the Post-Dispatch. Fees to the Sheriff, Collector and the Collector's attorney were based upon the amount of the execution and the amount of taxes sued for seldom was realized.

Use of "Flanary Agreement."
Frequently, not even the amount of the costs was realized and this resulted in the so-called "Flanary Agreement," an ingenious device by which, as told in the Post-Dispatch, those entitled to fees sought to obtain collection in full.

The County Court undertook to "approve" the "Flanary Agreement," as shown by its minutes. Those entitled to fees for the sale of property to satisfy tax judgments agreed to name H. M. Flanary as trustee to bid in the land for an amount "at least equal to the costs" if there were no higher bidders, and then find a buyer for it. Any profits from a sale for more than the amount of the costs were distributed among the parties to the agreement. Flanary or those for whom he was acting put up no money and the Sheriff's deed to the property was made to the buyer found by Flanary.

In the case of former County Clerk Jackson it was explained that he had withheld excessive amounts in 1931 following an opinion by the Attorney-General at that time entitling him to the amount retained. The amount which might be retained for salary and clerical costs was based on population and the method of determining population was proper under the Attorney-General's opinion, which was based on Supreme Court decisions. In 1933 the Supreme Court reversed its stand. Jackson was charged also with \$250 for illegally charged mileage.

Those Not Indebted.
Among the 44 office holders listed, those who were not indebted to the State or county were: Former Circuit Clerk S. E. Hobbs, Recorder of Deeds John M. Bess, Prosecuting Attorney Henry M. Phillips, Superintendent of Schools Charles B. Miller, Assessor Doyle Worley of Elk Township and Collector Richard McDaniel of Elk Township. With the exception of former Collector Barham of Castor Township and Collector Miller of Liberty Township, discrepancies in accounts of township assessors and collectors were small and in most cases obviously due to clerical errors.

The County Court was reminded that its duties included supervision of loans from county school funds. No principal payment had been made on 90 per cent of the loans, which represented 95 per cent of the \$70,334 lent. In cases where there had been foreclosure of property on which school funds had been lent and the amount owed was not produced by sale, it was remarked, no action had been taken to collect from sureties.

The attention of the County Court was called to its duty to examine thoroughly reports of township collectors and require a "comprehensive" settlement from the Sheriff on sales of property for taxes. The Court also was taken to task for laxity in attention to county office holders' reports and bonds.

No bond for Sheriff Barham could be found in the office of the Circuit Clerk or the Recorder of Deeds, although records of the Circuit Court contain an entry that a \$10,000 surety bond offered by the Sheriff had been approved. Bonds of some other officials do not show approval by the County Court.

JEAN PARKER, ACTRESS. WEDS
Married to New York Newspaper Man She Met Last Fall.
LAS VEGAS, Nev., March 23.—Jean Parker, movie actress, and George MacDonald, New York newspaper man, were married here yesterday by Justice of the Peace Marion B. Earl.

They met in New York after Miss Parker, whose legal name is Lois Mae Green, returned from a film engagement in England, Nov. 5.

MacDonald's family home is in Great Neck, Long Island. Miss Parker is 20 and MacDonald is 25. She was born in Deer Lodge, Mont., and received her education in Pasadena, Cal., where a film scout saw her riding in a tournament of roses parade and signed her to a movie contract.

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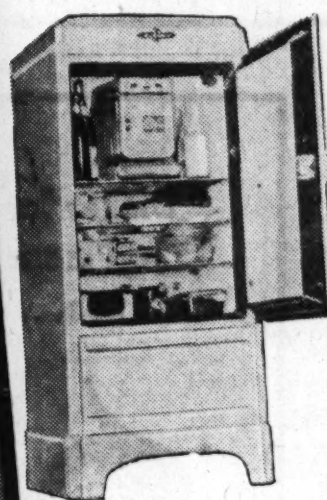


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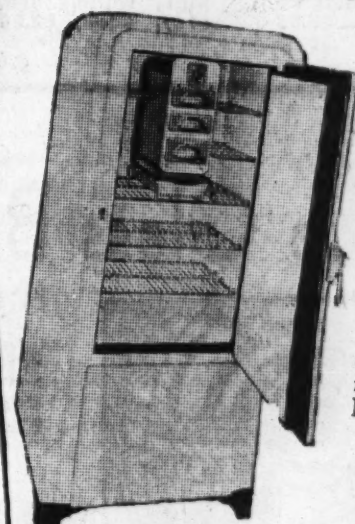
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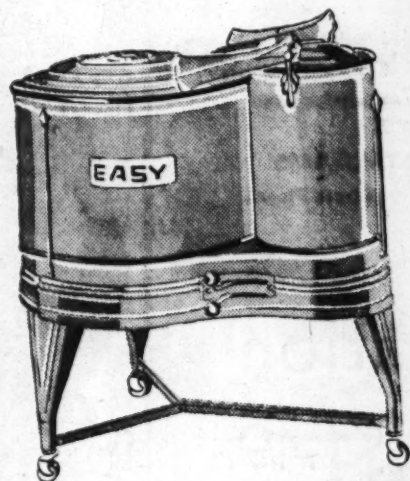
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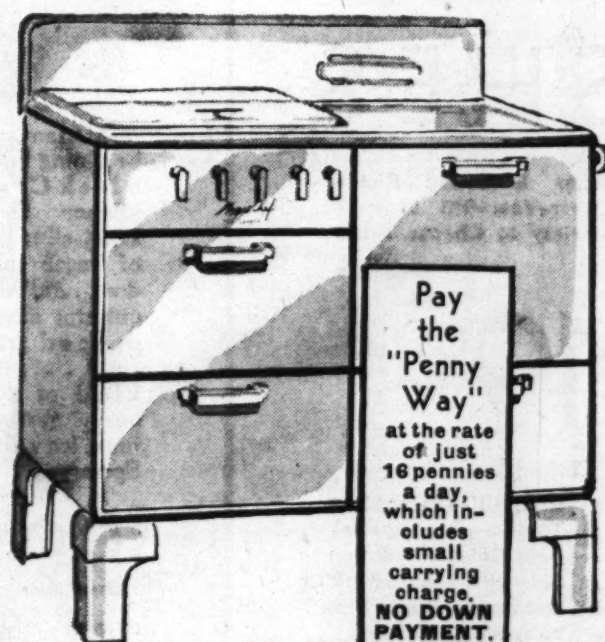
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Included Are Many Early Spring Dresses... Quality Fashions You'll Wear the Year 'Round

Orig. \$29.75 to \$49.50 Dresses

13 Black Street Crepes — were \$39.75
2 Eisenberg Print Ensembles — were \$39.75
8 Dubonnet, Green Crepes — were \$39.75
15 Evening and Dinner Gowns including original Lettie Lees and Eisenbergs — were \$39.75
1 Black Evening Gown by Lettie Lee that was — \$59.50
27 Black and Print Street Crepes — were \$29.75

\$22

Orig. \$22.75 to \$29.75 Dresses

12 Crepes, Black, Colors — were \$29.75
8 Dinner and Eve. Gowns, were \$29.75
6 Navy and White Sheers, were \$22.75
51 Black or Print Crepes and Sheers — were \$22.75
9 Printed Street Crepes, — were \$22.75
18 Dinner and Evening Gowns, — were \$22.75

\$15

Broken Sizes for Misses and Women, 12-44
(French Room... Fourth Floor.)

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Early Spring Dresses

Were \$12.95 to \$19.95

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88 Black, Navy Crepes
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88 Black, Navy and Hi-shade Crepes
52 Early Spring Prints
Many with Jackets
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(Fourth Floor Dress Shop.)

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8 Super Northern Seals, (dyed cone), 12-42, \$39
7 Gray American Broadtails, (processed lamb) with Wolf — **\$58**
1 Fine Dark Baronduki, 14 — **\$58**
2 Assembled Japanese Weasels, 16, 18 — **\$58**
3 Natural Muskrats, 18, 20 — **\$58**
6 Gray Krimmer Caraculs, 16, 18, 38 — **\$58**
3 Natural Civet Cats, 12, 16, 18 — **\$58**
2 Black Persian Lamb, 18, 20 — **\$98**
3 Black Caraculs with Silver Fox, 14, 16, 42, **\$98**
1 Black American Broadtail (processed lamb) with Silver Fox, 16 — **\$98**
1 Black American Broadtail (processed lamb) with Silver Fox, 16 — **\$148**
5 Hudson Seals (dyed Muskrat), 14 to 40 — **\$148**
4 Japanese Weasels, 14, 16, 18 — **\$148**
(Fur Salon... Third Floor)

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Satins of excellent quality... with fine lace trims.
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(Second Floor.)

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Crepes and some Prints
Broken sizes in each group, 12 to 42.

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Many Taken From Upstairs Hat Box Shop. Early Spring Styles.

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26 Sports Coats, Were \$8.95 to \$16.00
38 Lightweight Dress Coats, Were \$10.95 to \$16.00
10 Lightweight Suits, Were \$8.95 to \$10.95
30 Lightweight Suits, Were \$10.95 to \$16.00

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FUR COATS

1 Brown Am. Broadtail (processed lamb) with Wolf, 16
3 Brown Am. Broadtail (processed lamb) with Squirrel, 16
3 Grey Am. Broadtail (processed lamb) with Squirrel, 16, 14, 18
5 Black Am. Broadtails (processed lamb) 14, 16, 18
3 Squirrel Belly, 16, 18
1 Mink Gilla, 16
2 Ocelot Paws, 16, 18

FORMERLY TO \$69

\$25

HARTFORD BEGINS FLOOD REPAIRS; TROOPS ON GUARD

Guardsmen Watching for Looters—Electric Service Restored to Some Homes and Stores.

(Copyright, 1936, by the Associated Press.)
HARTFORD, Conn., March 23.—A thousand National Guardsmen placed Hartford under strict military discipline today as a safety measure during reconstruction of the flood-damaged area.

With the Connecticut River dropping an inch an hour from its record crest of 37.5 feet, the city began the task of repairing damage estimated at \$25,000,000. Electric service was restored to some homes and stores by means of a transformer set up on a flat car.

Two or more Guardsmen stood at nearly every intersection turning back persons without passes seeking to enter flooded districts.

The patrols, extending to the outskirts of this city of 165,000, were charged also with preventing looting of inundated homes. The streets were deserted last night after a 9 o'clock curfew was instituted.

About 8000 Refugees.
Four thousand refugees got food and shelter from the Red Cross. Another 4000, it was estimated, were the charges of other organizations or were receiving air from relatives and friends.

Gov. Cross, Welfare Commissioner Frederic C. Walcott and State WPA Administrator Matthew A. Daly went to Washington in an effort to obtain \$5,000,000 for rehabilitation work.

The entire WPA force in the vicinity was placed at the disposal of a civic committee to aid in restoring normal conditions. Twenty-five hundred WPA workers were inoculated against typhoid fever.

Robert I. McGee of the Red Cross gave police a list of about 20 persons reported by relatives or friends to be missing. Officials thought, however, that most of those listed would be found at relief stations or homes of friends. The flood has caused only one death here.

Homes to Be Inspected.
Rigid regulations were set up in an effort to stop outbreaks of disease. Flooded buildings and homes will be inspected when the waters recede, and families will not be permitted to return until the residences have been pronounced safe for occupancy.

Dr. Stanley H. Osborne, State Health Commissioner, reported that health conditions in the inundated region were excellent.

Pupils in all but seven of the city's 28 schools were notified to return to classes today. Five schoolhouses were inundated and two were in use as relief stations.

A fresh crew of men was taken by boat to the Hartford Electric Light Co.'s South Meadow station to replace 60 employees evacuated yesterday after having been isolated since Thursday.

The flood waters, receding here, swept on through Southern Connecticut into Long Island Sound.

Damage to river towns south of Hartford was greatest at Middletown, which reported 1000 refugees. A supply of serum to inoculate them against typhoid was ordered rushed by plane from Philadelphia.

More than 200 Middletown children made homeless by the flood were quartered at Wesleyan University. Students took care of them, supervising games in the gymnasium and providing meals.

ARMY FLYER KILLED IN CRASH AS HE TRIES TO LAND IN GALE

Plane Hits Building as Capt. S. P. Mills Heads for Fort Slocum Field.

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, March 23.—Capt. Samuel P. Mills, 42 years old, U. S. Army Air Corps pilot, was killed yesterday when his plane crashed at Fort Slocum on a return flight from Boston to Bolling Field, Wash.

The plane, its motor faltering, shuttled back and forth above New Rochelle for half an hour as though the pilot were attempting to overcome motor trouble and land. A 60-mile gale swept the metropolitan area.

Heading down toward the Fort Slocum parade ground, the craft struck a corner of a building with one wing, overturned and plunged to the ground. The pilot's body was found in the plane, a parachute was found but not strapped on.

Col. William O. Ryan, commander of Bolling Field, said Capt. Mills left Bolling Field Friday to fly Congressman Charles W. Tobey of New Hampshire, to Boston on orders of the chief of the Air Corps.

WIFE SUES DR. FRED L. GIBBS
General Indignities Charged in Divorce Petition.

Suit to divorce Dr. Fred L. Gibbs, a physician, with an office at 5298A Page boulevard, was filed in Circuit Court today by Mrs. Jessie A. Gibbs, 4915 Lindell boulevard.

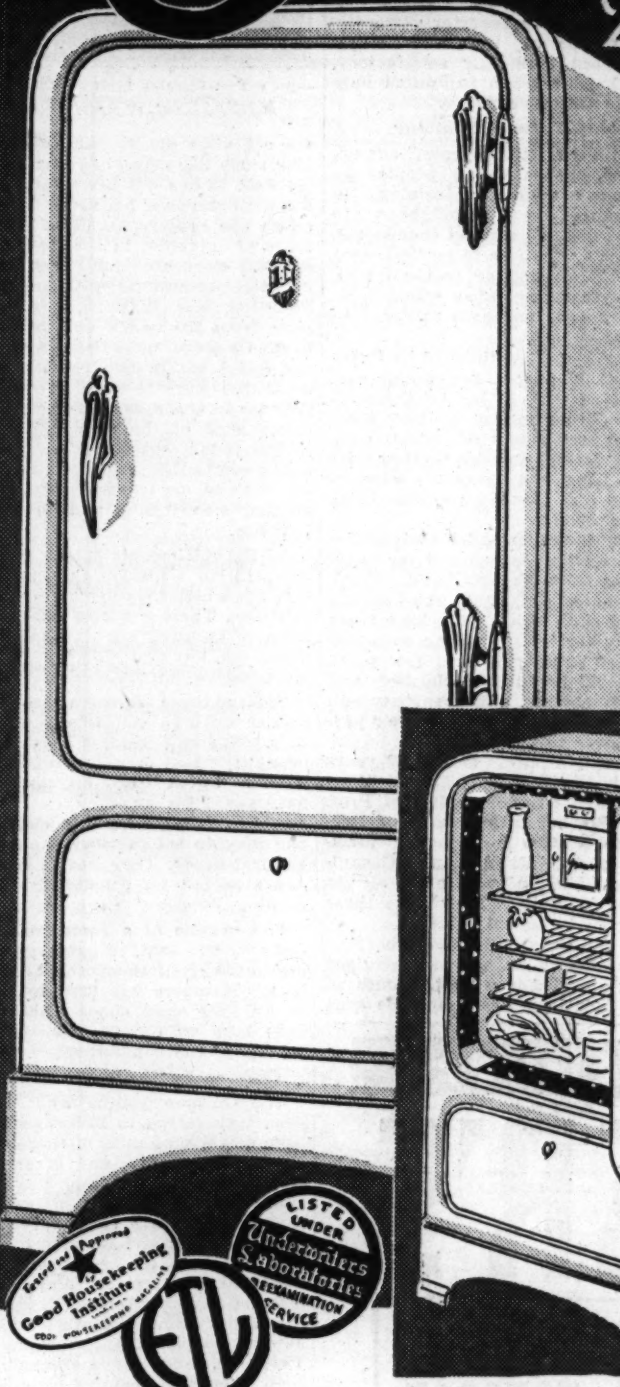
In her petition, alleging general indignities, she said they were married in 1914 and separated last October. He entered his appearance and the suit was assigned to Division 16.

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How Jewish Youth Gets New Chance in Palestine

Mrs. Ilse Warburg, Leader in Resettlement Work for Boys and Girls From Germany, Describes Communal Training.

An intensely earnest young woman who has been intimately connected with the challenging task of transplanting hundreds of adolescent German Jews from their native land, where they are denied opportunities to live and work, to a new homeland in Palestine, arrived in St. Louis yesterday to tell Jews here of her work and seek their support for it.

Mrs. Ilse Warburg, formerly of Berlin, Germany, and now of Haifa, Palestine, was one of those, long interested in the Zionist movement, who conceived the idea of youth colonies in Palestine about three years ago, when the rise of Hitler resulted in persecution of the Jewish people of Germany. She discovered that others in England and in Holland, had developed the same idea about the same time, and out of their efforts has grown the Youth Aliyah organization which, in the last two years, has transferred 1500 boys and girls between the ages of 15 and 17 to Palestine, where they are being prepared for useful places in the world.

In an interval between a busy schedule of meetings and conferences, Mrs. Warburg, who is stopping at the Park Plaza Hotel, told a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday that results of the undertaking have been eminently satisfactory, and that its scope is limited only by the available funds.

Two Years of Training. "For the first two years," she explained, "these young people go through a course of training, in agriculture, or in workshops, to enable them to support themselves. Then they are free to go their own way. They may go to the towns, or they may join farm colonies, or, if they can, purchase their own farms."

"Our first class finished its training period only a few weeks ago. There were 59 in it. Of these, 45 decided to establish a new communal settlement of their own. Three decided to take another year of training, and the others were accepted into existing settlements as full members."

"The 45 will establish their settlement on land purchased for them by the Jewish National Fund. There is another fund, the Foundation Fund, which will lend them money for tools, and the construction of buildings. In a few years they will be fully established and self-supporting, and then they can look forward to bringing their parents over to join them."

Mrs. Warburg, who is 32 years old, is the wife of Sigmund Warburg, and daughter-in-law of Prof. Otto Warburg, University of Berlin biologist who is former president of the World Zionist Organization. Her husband is a dealer in farms in Haifa. They have three children in school there.

To Return Next Month. Her tawny hair, drawn straight back and tied in a knot, frames an oval face in which deep blue eyes



—By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.
MRS. ILSE WARBURG.

are set wide apart. An extended tour since her arrival in this country Feb. 12 has left her weary, but has not dampened her ardor for the cause she represents. Two weeks more of traveling in the East and she will start back for Palestine.

Typical communal settlements in Palestine, Mrs. Warburg said, may have from 125 to 600 or 800 members. Children, until the age of six, are cared for in children's homes while their parents work. After that they go to the home, of their parents. Most of the members work in the fields, but there are workshops where the young people may be trained as carpenters, locksmiths, electricians, and in other pursuits.

All the settlements belong to one co-operative marketing agency through which they dispose of their products. There are also individual farmers on their own ground, but these, too, buy and sell through the co-operative agency.

"Often these farmers are university or high school graduates," Mrs. Warburg said. "They have brought with them cultural demands which they do not forget. As soon as they can they establish schools for the children, and they do not overlook their own cultural needs. They have libraries and meetings for discussion in the evenings."

The income of a communal settlement, she said, is spent according to the requirements of its members. Members are free to leave at any time they choose, but they may take with them none of the wealth of the community.

German Youths in 30 Centers. The German youths who have been transferred to Palestine have been established in 30 of these communal settlements, and in various institutions for training. The contract made with their parents is that for two years the children will be maintained and furnished practical training in agriculture or technical occupation, along with instruction in the Hebrew language, the history and literature of the Jewish people, the geography of Palestine, and the rudiments of such sciences as botany, chemistry, or in whatever field those preparing for technical work are to engage.

All this costs \$360 for the two years. Many of the parents of the children who have gone to Palestine have been able to contribute a portion of the cost, and the rest comes from funds contributed by Jews throughout the world. "That money," Mrs. Warburg said, "not only keeps a child for two years, but prepares him for a useful life work. There is practically an unlimited opportunity in Palestine, for those who can work with their hands, especially for those who have been brought up in its atmosphere and climate, and who can participate in the development of the country."

Mrs. Warburg spoke last night at a dinner given by St. Louis Chapter of Hadassah, the women's Zionist organization of America, at the Jewish Old Folks' Home. Today she was the guest of the sisterhoods of four reformed temples at a luncheon at Hotel Chase.

ORGANIZATION OF IVY CLUB

Group Formed to Preserve Early St. Louis Buildings. The Ivy Club, formed for the purpose of preserving St. Louis buildings which are typical of early American architectural forms, has temporary quarters at the home of Mrs. George C. Smith, 18 Lenox place.

Alexander von Wuthenau, former secretary of the German Embassy at Washington, was active in organizing the Ivy Club. He laid before the Municipal Art Commission, last week, a plan for preserving several old buildings in the riverfront section, as part of a proposed treatment of the Jefferson Memorial river front improvement. Von Wuthenau intends to spend the next few months in Mexico, D. F., and will leave his riverfront plans at the office of Eames & Walsh, architects, 4435 Olive street.

BANK ROBBERS BLINDFOLD THREE AND TAKE \$2900

Early Morning Passersby Held by Gang Which Drills Into Safes at Montrose, Mo.

By the Associated Press. MONTROSE, Mo., March 23. — A band of bank robbers who held three men captive as they worked early yesterday got \$2900 from the Montrose Savings Bank. All but two telephone wires connecting this Henry County community with surrounding towns were cut by the robbers as they went deliberately about their task of opening the vault and currency safe.

Charles Smith, manager of the Montrose Telephone Co., was stopped by a man with a shotgun as he walked down the main street to get his car for a fishing trip. He was blindfolded and led inside the bank.

Men in Truck Stopped. Soon Stanley Noe and Junior Rogers of Butler, Mo., newspaper distributors, came along in their truck. They were allowed to drop their bundle of papers for Montrose, then also blindfolded and taken in with Smith.

Only one man was seen by the three, but they heard voices of three or four.

The gang used an acetylene torch to cut a hole through the wall of

the vault near the floor, then apparently pushed one man through, who opened the vault. They then turned the currency safe on its face, drilled a small hole and poured water through to protect the money from the torch, and burned a hole through the back of the safe.

Some Money Overlooked. Frederick Hill, cashier of the bank, who estimated the loss, said a packet of currency, containing several hundred dollars, was overlooked.

While the gang worked, they talked only in whispers, the three captives said.

Before the robbers left they took Smith, Rogers and Noe inside the vault and ordered them to stay there half an hour. The three agreed and stayed there about that length of time, then spread the alarm.

Sheriff Sterling Harness said there had been nothing reported to indicate the direction in which the gang escaped. Officers in surrounding towns and counties were co-operating in the search.

OILER DIES 10 HOURS AFTER HE WAS INJURED ON TRACKS

Henry Berhaeghe Found With Leg Crushed on Footpath Between Tracks.

Henry Verhaeghe, 63 years old, 978 Elias avenue, died at St. John's Hospital at 11:15 p. m. Saturday of injuries suffered 10 hours earlier, presumably when run over by a freight car, in the yards of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad at the foot of Doddridge street.

Fellow workmen said they found him, his right leg crushed, on a footpath between two tracks, and that he lost consciousness as they arrived. They said Verhaeghe, an oiler, was working on an empty freight car on one of the tracks, to which four other freight cars had just been switched.

MRS. GREENWAY TO RETIRE FROM SEAT IN CONGRESS

Arizona Member of House Wishes to Devote More Time to Family.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, March 23.—Representative Isabella Greenway (Dem.), Arizona, announced last night she would retire from office at the end of her present term.

A desire to devote more time to her family prompted her decision not to seek re-election this fall, she said.

Reminded she had been men-



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tioned as a possible candidate for Governor of Arizona this fall, Mrs. Greenway said her announcement of retirement also was intended to head off talk along that line.

A girlhood chum of Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Mrs. Greenway has been a frequent visitor at the White House. She was elected in October, 1933 for the rest of the term of Lewis Douglas, who resigned to become Budget Director. She was re-elected again in 1934.

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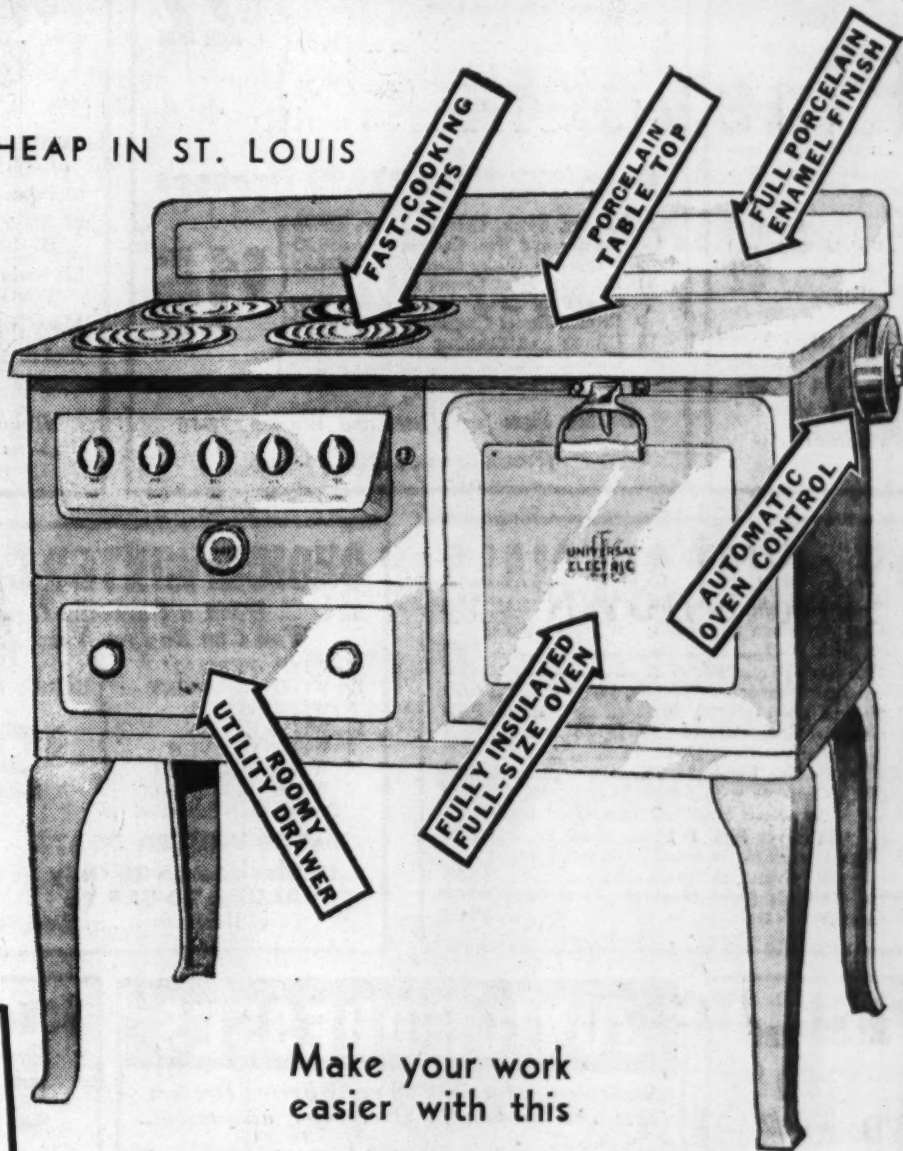
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Dr. Malcolm Harris Dies.
By The Associated Press.
MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 23.—
Dr. Malcolm La Salle Harris, Chi-
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died at a sanitarium near here
Saturday night. He was 73 years
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old. Dr. Harris received his medi-
cal degree from Rush Medical Col-
lege, Chicago, in 1882. He was a
member of the International Surgi-
cal Association, the American Surgi-
cal Association and the Association
of Clinical Surgery. He head-
ed the American Medical Associa-
tion in 1928-1929.

BODY OF ROBBER IN INDIANA HOLDUPS CLAIMED BY MOTHER

Mrs. Henry L. Lins of Overland
Says She Had Not Heard of
Paul Mills for a Year.
The body of Paul Mills, who was
shot and killed Friday when he at-
tempted to hold up the Bank of
Bloomington at Bloomington,
Ind., was claimed yesterday by his
mother, Mrs. Henry L. Lins, 2338
Wallis avenue, Overland. Mrs.
Lins said she had not seen or heard
from her son for a year. His iden-
tity was established by finger-
prints.

Police said the two bullet wounds
in Mills' body were of different cal-
ibers. A wound in the chest was
from the pistol of J. Wood Carter,
assistant cashier of the bank, who
was shot and killed by the robbers.
Another in the face was powder
burned. Indiana State police held
the theory that those were inflicted by
Mills' companions before they fled.
Mills, who was 27 years old, had
been a fugitive since August, 1934,
when he escaped from the prison
ward of St. Louis County Hospital,
where he was held on a charge of
automobile theft. With him in the
escape was William Olin Perkins,
later shot to death in a pistol fight
with East St. Louis police who
sought to arrest him as a prowler.

THREE BUTCHERS ARRESTED

Alleged to Have Violated Sunday
Closing Law.
Three butchers were arrested yester-
day on complaint of a member
of the Meat Cutters' Union and
ordered to appear in Police Court
to answer a charge of violating the
Sunday closing ordinance. Hyman
Bernstein was arrested in a market
at 2013 Franklin avenue, Gus Sava
at 3501 Easton avenue and George
Nick at 2701 Dayton street.

Child Bitten by White Mouse.
Richard Baumhoefner, 6 years
old, 4673 Penrose street, was bitten
on the right index finger yesterday
by a white mouse which is in an
exhibit at the St. Louis-on-Parade
exposition at the Municipal Audi-
torium. He was treated at City
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COUNTY WELFARE SOCIETY URGES SPECIAL SESSION

Requests Gov. Park to Call
Legislature to Vote Funds
to Prevent Suffering Af-
ter April 1.

The St. Louis County Welfare
Association today joined in the re-
quests made recently by other
groups that Gov. Park call a spe-
cial session of the Legislature to
appropriate additional funds for
relief to be used after April 1 when
the present fund will be exhausted.
In a letter to the Governor, How-
ard M. Slutes, executive secretary
of the association, expressed the
"firm conviction" of its board of
directors that a special session
should be called immediately. The
association is a private agency, af-
filiated with United Charities, Inc.
Letter to Governor.

"As one of the objects of this as-
sociation is the promotion of better
civil and social conditions in St.
Louis County," the letter said, "the
board of directors feels that it is
the responsibility of this agency to
urge in the strongest terms that
the State take immediate action to
prevent suffering on the part of
thousands of St. Louis County resi-
dents.

It is obvious that this suffering
cannot be avoided unless the State
indicates its concern for its un-
fortunate citizens by enactment of
legislative measures to prevent the
impending destitution and suffer-
ing of the residents of the State.
"For example, in St. Louis Coun-
ty between 800 and 900 families
are now depending upon the St.
Louis County Relief Committee for
direct relief. Applications for ad-
ditional families who are now in
need of relief are numbering more
than 120 per month. These fami-
lies, which include more than
3000 individuals, will be without
the necessities of life as soon as
the Missouri Relief Commission
closes its doors.

"The St. Louis County Court is
now providing relief to more than
800 additional families. Even though
relief to these families is now in-
adequate, it is anticipated that
after May 1st the Pauper and In-
sane Fund will be entirely spent
and this large number of families
will also be destitute. Therefore,
according to present indications at
least 1800 St. Louis County families,
which include thousands of child-
ren, will be facing utter destitu-
tion before the next regular ses-
sion of the State Legislature con-
venes.

"The board of this agency be-
lieves that those who have been
elected by the people to represent
their interests in the affairs of State
government, will not fail to pre-
vent this crisis if they squarely
face the situation and understand
the facts."

State Conference Called.
The Permanent Council on Re-
lief Needs, an organization of
groups of the unemployed, social
workers, labor and church societies,
which has repeatedly urged Gov.
Park to call a special session of
the Legislature, has called a con-
ference to be held April 5 in Jeffer-
son City to which interested or-
ganizations throughout the State
are invited to send representatives.
Delegates from St. Louis groups
will meet Friday night at 8 o'clock
at the Trinity Church, 600 North
Euclid avenue, to discuss plans for
the conference.

The program for the meeting at
Jefferson City will include a peti-
tion to the Governor for a special
session, and a petition to Congress
for return to the policy of Federal
funds for direct relief and creation
of a work program with payment of
standard wages. The establishment
of permanent Federal, State and
local relief administrations, and of
local relief committees also will be
urged.

Announcement of Meeting.
"All attempts to handle the prob-
lem of relief have been inadequate
and temporary in nature and have
resulted in periods of uncertainty,
confusion and hardship," the coun-
cil said in its announcement of the
conference.

"There is refusal by those in au-
thority to recognize frankly and
publicly the prominence of the re-
lief and unemployment problems.
The relief problem is the responsi-
bility of local, State and national
governments; each must assume its
responsibility and co-operate in the
solution.

"Without prompt and appropriate
action, the present hardship will be
greatly multiplied, and will result
in intolerable suffering."

LAST SURVIVOR OF G.A.R. POST DIES AT 86 IN EAST ST. LOUIS

Edmund Bridges, the last surviv-
ing member of the McDowell Post
of the G. A. R. in East St. Louis,
died last night of infirmities of
age at his home, 710 North Eleve-
enth street, East St. Louis. He was
86 years old.

A railroad cabinet maker most of
his life, he had been retired for
the last 16 years. He served nine
months as a private in the Civil
War and suffered a leg wound. He
had been the only member of the
McDowell Post, the only post in
East St. Louis, for about a year.

Surviving are three sons and four
daughters. His wife, to whom he
had been married for 63 years, died
seven months ago. The funeral will
be held Wednesday afternoon at
1:30 o'clock at the Kurrus under-
taking establishment, 2325 State
street. Burial will be in Green-
wood Cemetery.

GIRL FOUND DEAD IN CANYON

Salt Lake City Police Looking for
Escort.
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, March
23.—Finding of the body of Ruth
Shaw, 20 years old, beside the Emi-

gration Canyon highway near here
started police on a search yester-
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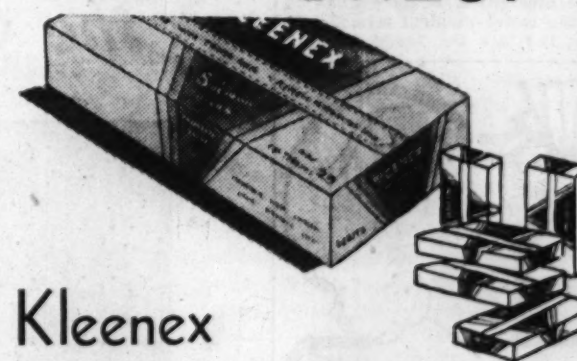
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Says Science's Fight
Is 'Half Won.'

A long-fought scientific battle against the pestilence germ of influenza is about "half won," in the opinion of three scientists of the bacteriological department of the University of Pennsylvania, who have an article on their research work to isolate this germ in the current issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association. The scientists are Dr. Stuart Mudd, Dr. D. Sergeant Pepper and Dr. Horace Pettit. Dr. Mudd is a native St. Louisan, son of Mrs. Harvey G. Mudd of 47 Vandeventer place, widow of the noted St. Louis surgeon who died in 1933.

Discussing their discovery for the medical journal, the scientists indicated they had found that the deadly influenza in numerous and remote parts of the world is born of the same virus, in which case the battleground shifts to the safer field of the laboratory and the fight is "half won." Dr. Mudd said the consensus of bacteriological investigation at the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research in New York and at the British National Research Laboratories in London, points unquestionably to this conclusion.

Epidemics Studied.
Dr. Mudd discussed epidemics of influenza in Philadelphia and Alaska, in 1934 and 1935, which were studied because of the great distance separating the two points of infection.

In a study of Alaska cases last spring, Drs. Pettit and Pepper made the long trip to Point Barrow and return by plane and ship. Concerning the spread of the disease in Alaska, the doctors found, with the aid of Dr. Floyd Burke Gillespie of Fairbanks, that April 8, 1935, a party of three men, including the principal merchant of that section, left Fairbanks by air for Point Barrow by way of Kotzebue.

They stopped several days at Kotzebue, where influenza was prevalent, and then proceeded to Point Barrow, where influenza appeared after they had been there. Fifteen Eskimos died in Point Barrow. None of the original party of three contracted the disease, but it was assumed that one or more acted as carriers of the germ.

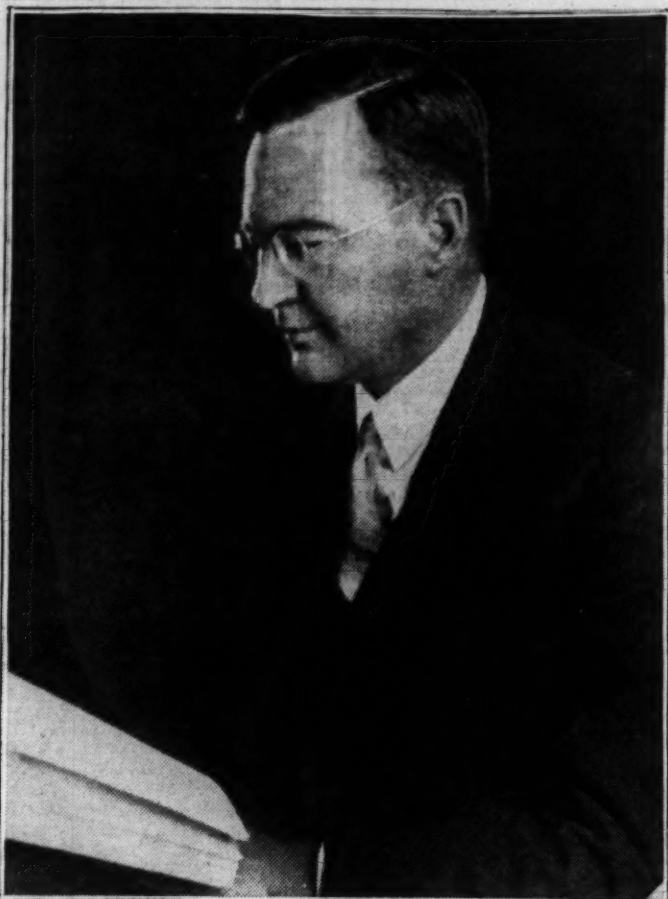
About 10 days after influenza appeared at Point Barrow it reached Wainwright, 90 miles to the south. This spread was attributed to a party of Eskimos who went by sled from Point Barrow to Wainwright. Some were ill with influenza on the trip and others got it after their arrival. There were no deaths at Wainwright, where a Government nurse was in charge. She sequestered the cases, keeping each patient in his igloo. At Point Barrow a missionary doctor was in charge, and patients crowded his office every day. Other points in Alaska not visited by inhabitants of infected areas escaped the disease.

Immunization Possible.
Mapping the course of that epidemic, together with the isolation of influenza virus from sufferers there and Philadelphia, Puerto Rico and Great Britain, according to the conclusion that each case was identical with the other, so far as immunization against the disease is concerned.

"The virus that has been the primary causative agent of human influenza in widely separated areas of the world in recent years appears to be a single entity," said the article. "Both active and passive immunization of susceptible animals against this virus have been shown to be possible. These facts offer profound encouragement for the ultimate control of this last and greatest uncontrolled pestilence, and should challenge the best efforts of preventive medicine to perfect immunization before the coming of the next pandemic."

Dr. Mudd, now 42 years old, is head of the bacteriological department of the University of Pennsylvania. He was born in St. Louis and received his primary education here. He was graduated from Princeton University and studied medicine at Washington and Harvard Universities, being graduated from the latter medical school. His father, the late Dr. Mudd, wanted

Tells of Influenza Research



DR. STUART MUDD

him to become a surgeon, but he preferred research work as a field in which to benefit a greater number of people. He was in the cancer research department of Harvard Medical School after graduation. From there he went to the Rockefeller Institute and thence to University of Pennsylvania.

His intense interest in his work is reflected in intimate letters to his mother here. An excerpt from one received March 9 from Philadelphia said:

"One of the things that has kept us busy the last weeks has been an epidemic of scarlet fever in a school for the feeble-minded in New Jersey. At the time I was asked to help there had been 14 cases of

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'PARADE' OF CAREERS AT EXPOSITION TODAY

Talks for Young Persons Featured; 10,000 at St. Louis Show Yesterday.

The St. Louis on Parade Exposition entered its fourth day at the Municipal Auditorium today, with two conferences in the "Choosing a Career" series for young men and women featured.

Mrs. Edna Gellhorn, former president of the League of Women Voters, was to talk on "Government Service," and Carl E. Roessler, manager of Hotel Jefferson, on "Hotel Management" at 3:30 p. m. In Assembly Hall No. 1. Ed C. Connellen, assistant manager of the American Society for Steel Treating, will speak on "Metal Trades," at 7:15 p. m.

A cooking demonstration was scheduled for 2:30 p. m., with Max O. Cullen of Chicago, instructor for the National Livestock and Meat Board, butchering meat and demonstrating methods of preparing it, while dressed in dinner clothes. A

cake baking contest was part of the program.

The Vehicular Accident Prevention Association will present one of the "Death Takes a Ride" programs broadcast by radio every week, in Convention Hall at 8 p. m. Dancing to Wayne King's music will begin at 9 p. m.

Yesterday, the management estimated, 10,000 persons visited the exposition. The feature was the program of religious music presented by six choral clubs in Convention Hall, and climaxed when 950 voices blended in Gounod's "Unfold Ye Portals." The organizations were the men's and women's glee clubs of Washington University, the West Presbyterian A Capella Choir, a chorus from six Southern Illinois towns, the Evangelical Mass Chorus and the Celestial Chorus, Negro spiritual singers.

At the "Choosing a Career" conference, Dean Frank M. Debatin of Washington University spoke on "The Learned Professions," and F. Lee Major, vice-president of Eastmen's National Bank, on banking. "Banking is both a necessary and honorable business," Major said. "The next time you hear a bank criticised for its seeming lack of desire to lend money, keep in mind that a bank does not lend its own money—it lends the money of its depositors." He declared most officers in banks have come up through the ranks, and recommended courses in commercial law, economics, bookkeeping, political

economy and public speaking in preparing for a banking career.

Dean Debatin said: "The financial outlook is never very bright, but the professions do build toward a perpetual reputation." The legal profession, he said, "is one to stay out of, because it is far too crowded now."

Killed in Auto Accident.

CARBONDALE, Ill., March 23.—George Chapman, 26 years old, was killed yesterday, when their automobile left U. S. Highway 51 on a curve north of here and landed in a mine sink hole. The injured were Walter Johnson, Graden Young and E. T. Kahl.

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WABASH

25 HURT WHEN STREET CAR AND FIRE TRUCK COLLIDE

Coach Driven Into Tap Room in
Philadelphia, Causing
\$2500 Damage.

By the Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—
Twenty-five persons were hurt,
three seriously, in the collision of a

fire truck and street car here yester-
day.

The impact drove the trolley car
30 feet across the street, and it
crashed into a tap room. Passen-
gers were thrown from their seats
and showered with glass.

The truck struck a pole, throwing
three firemen to the street. Dam-
age to the tap room was estimated
at \$2500.

ASSESSOR SEEKS TO TAX LESSORS OF MACHINERY

Cites Two Companies He Says
Failed to List Devices Out
at Rental.

City Assessor Ralph Coale today
cited the International Business
Machines Corporation and the Uni-
ed Shoe Machinery Co., to appear
at 10 a. m. next Friday before the
City Board of Equalization to show
cause why each firm should not
pay a substantial tax on machinery
leased to local manufacturers, who
do not carry the machines in their
personal returns.

The International Business Ma-
chines Corporation made a return
of \$30,000 for machines at its local
headquarters, 1810 Locust street,
but failed to list machines out on
rental, according to Coale. The
personal return of the United Shoe
Machinery Co. made no mention of
machinery, Coale said. The cita-
tion on the business machines
concern to show cause why its per-
sonal assessment should not be
\$300,000, and the shoe machinery
firm's assessment \$100,000. The lo-
cal office of the United Shoe Ma-
chinery Co. is at 1427 Olive street.

COUNTY OFFICIAL PUT IN CASH AFTER AUDITS STARTED

Accounts Report Ad-
ministrator Substituted
\$1100 for Memo on In-
debtedness to Estates.

Accounts of Public Administrator
W. Francis Cronin of St. Louis
County were put in order last Aug-
ust, soon after audits of other coun-
ty offices had been begun, by sub-
stitution of \$1100.61 cash for mem-
oranda of his personal indebtedness
to various estates. It was shown in
a report filed today with the Coun-
ty Court by Schuessler, Keller &
Co., certified public accountants.

While the audit was critical of
some of the bookkeeping methods
of Public Administrator Cronin,
particularly during his first year
in office which began Jan. 1, 1933,
the examiners reported that they
found he had accounted for all
sums due during his term. The
cash payments made were to pro-
vide against claims recognized by
him but later disallowed by the
Probate Court for the most part.

In recommending that the Coun-
ty Court satisfy itself as to proper
administration of some estates by
further inquiry, the auditors re-
ferred to some instances in which
full details could not be obtained
from the records.

\$144 for Guardianship.
Among the was the guardian-
ship of Marie Rawson which includ-
ed an item dated Nov. 21, 1934, al-
lowing A. J. (Otto) Frank, Con-
stable, \$144, representing 144 hours
at \$1 an hour, for guarding the re-
ceipts of the guardianship which
consisted of \$500 from an insurance
policy on the life of George Raw-
son.

Correspondence files, relating to
the estate of George Rawson, dis-
closed communication with the
Public Service Co., with regard to
unclaimed wages of \$62.19 and a
badge deposit of \$3. They includ-
ed a letter requesting the Public
Administrator to sign inclosure to
collect the items. Cronin, accord-
ing to the report, stated he had not
received the money and his records
did not reflect its receipts up to
Oct. 31, 1935. But a letter from the
paymaster, E. W. DeRoche, dated
Dec. 28, 1935, stated that on Nov.
8, 1934, a draft for the amount had
been mailed to the Public Adminis-
trator. Subsequently Cronin told
the examiners he had been mistak-
en, saying he had found the money
in a safe deposit box and had
turned it over to the County Treas-
urer Dec. 14, 1935, a receipt having
been obtained.

Among the other matters subject
to criticism by the auditors was the
practice of retaining interest
earned on savings accounts. This
was said to have amounted to
more than \$100.

Handling of Zilloli Estate.
In the instances in which claims
allowed by the Administrator were
disallowed by the Probate Court,
memoranda were found crediting
the estate or guardianship with the
amount involved. The Public Ad-
ministrator is under a blanket bond
and under additional bond in the
states of consequence.

The auditors also called to the
attention of the Court the estate of
Ralph Castillo Zilloli, which includ-
ed a four-family apartment build-
ing at 6431 Clayton road, subject
to a \$9000 deed of trust. As Pub-
lic Administrator, Cronin took
charge Aug. 28, 1934, and collected
rents amounting to \$2600 up to Oct.
31, 1935, but expended \$3500, includ-
ing cash in the estate. However,
the expenditures included \$1140 in-
terest and \$1000 paid on the prin-
cipal of the mortgage, the remain-
der being for taxes, insurance, op-
eration and repairs. Heirs had re-
ceived nothing up to Oct. 31, 1935,
since \$7339 had been received and
\$7982 expended, including payment
of interest and retirement of loan.

The report made note of Cronin's
improvement in his accounting pro-
cedure a year after he took office
and called attention to the fact
that Cronin and his sister, Miss
Ellen Cronin, who kept his books,
"unhesitatingly presented such re-
cords as we requested."

**EAST ST. LOUISAN KILLED
WHEN MOTORCYCLE UPSETS**

Steve Domyan's Machine Goes Off
Illinois Road; Woman
With Him Unhurt.

Steve Domyan, 27 years old, one
of the owners of the Domyan Bros.
Motorcycle Co., 416 South Tenth
street, East St. Louis, was killed
yesterday afternoon when his
motorcycle ran off the Edwards-
ville road and turned over near
Madison. A woman companion was
uninjured.

Domyan, who lived at 2440 Gaty
avenue, East St. Louis, suffered
head injuries. He died at St.
Elizabeth's Hospital, Granite City,
a few hours after the accident.

**BODY OF UNEMPLOYED MAN
FOUND IN POND IN COUNTY**

Michael Barry Dead on Grounds of
Kenrick Seminary; No Marks
of Violence.

The body of Michael Barry, 31-
year-old unemployed hod carrier,
was found yesterday in a pond on
the grounds of Kenrick Seminary
on Laclede station road, St. Louis
County. The body bore no marks
of violence.

Barry's sister, Mrs. Mary Peter-
son, with whom he lived at 5539
Manchester avenue, told police he
had left home Saturday about 1 p.
m. and had not returned. She said
he had been worried because of
his unemployment.

NO INDICATION OF FLOODS IN THE ST. LOUIS DISTRICT

Moderate Rise in Upper Mississippi
Expected; Missouri Falling.

United States army engineers and
Weather Forecaster Roscoe Nunn
agreed, when questioned today by
a Post-Dispatch reporter, that there
were no present indications of
floods in the St. Louis district.

Only a moderate rise was expect-
ed in the Upper Mississippi, the
gauge here being but 17.4 feet this
morning. The Missouri river was
falling, except for a moderate rise
at Omaha. The Illinois river was
also falling, and the Meramec river
was low.

Army engineers corrected a gen-
eral belief that the system of new
dams in flood control. The engi-
neers explained that in case of
floods the spillways would be
opened to let the water through, as
the purpose of the dams is to estab-
lish pools for navigation during low
water, and not to stop high water.
High water control is through
floodways. One of these floodways,
which permits the overflow of flood
water onto condemned land, is lo-
cated at Bird's Point, Mo., a short
distance below Cairo, Ill. The levee
at Bird's Point is lower than at
Cairo, permitting an overflow de-
signed to relieve the pressure far-
ther up the river.

MRS. ANNA H. KRENNING DIES

Was Widow of Frank H. W. Kren-
ning, Former China Dealer.

Mrs. Anna Horstkoette Krenning,
widow of Frank H. W. Krenning,
former president of the Krenning
Westernman China Co., died of in-
firmities of age today at the home
of her daughter, Mrs. Edward E.
Haverstick, 7346 Westmoreland
drive, University City, where she
resided. She was 81 years old and
had been in failing health since
last November.

Surviving also are three other
daughters, Mrs. Alfred J. Platt,
Mrs. Adele K. Jarrell and Mrs. Ed-
win H. Bosse, and a sister, Miss
Augusta Horstkoette. Mr. Krenning,
who also was secretary-treasurer
of the St. Louis Independent Pack-
ing Co., died in 1915. Funeral ser-
vices will be at 2 o'clock Wednesday
afternoon at the residence. Burial
will be in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

Mrs. Margaret Guehne Dies at 87.
Mrs. Margaret Guehne, 87 years
old, 3031 Wyoming street, died at
City Hospital last night of pneumo-
nia which set in after she fell at
her home and fractured her hip last
Dec. 2. She had been ill and faint-
ed and fell when she got out of bed.

KROGER, PIGGLY WIGGLY TAKEN OFF UNFAIR LIST

Central Trades Union Acts Af-
ter Charter of Warehouse
Union Is Revoked.

Kroger and Piggly Wiggly stores
were taken off the unfair list of the
Central Trades and Labor Union
yesterday after notice was read at
a meeting of the organization that
the charter of Warehouse Employes'
Local Union No. 667 had been re-
voked by its parent organization,
the Retail Clerks' International Pro-
tective Association.

The 140 members of the Ware-
house Union went on strike last
Nov. 6 following a dispute over a
working agreement with the Kroger
Grocery & Baking Co., which oper-
ates Kroger and Piggly Wiggly
stores. In St. Louis, other union
employees of the company remained
at work because of contracts pro-
hibiting sympathetic strikes, but
the stores were placed on the unfair
list of the Central Trades.

International Union officers were
said to have advised acceptance of
a contract, which did not provide
for a "closed shop," and also to
have ruled that the warehouse strik-
ers could not picket stores in which
other union members were right-
fully employed. Members of Local
667 rejected the advice, and dis-
regarded the picketing order. It was
stated.

The order to take the stores off
the unfair list was made by Presi-
dent Joseph Clark of Central
Trades, following the reading of
the formal announcement that the
charter of Local 667 had been with-
drawn. Clark invited appeals from
his ruling, but there were none.

Later, after Clark had turned the
chair over to the vice-president,
Mrs. Mary Ryder, a group of dele-
gates sought to reopen the subject,
and was ruled out of order on mo-
tion of William Brandt, secretary.

Officers of Local 667 have as-
serted that withdrawal of their
charter would make no difference
in the status of the strike, and
that the picketing would continue.
Financial support was being re-
ceived from the Progressive Miners
of Illinois and other unions, the
leaders said.

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BEEF SHORT RIB FLANK—Lb.	9c	BREAD Double Loaves, Sliced	5c
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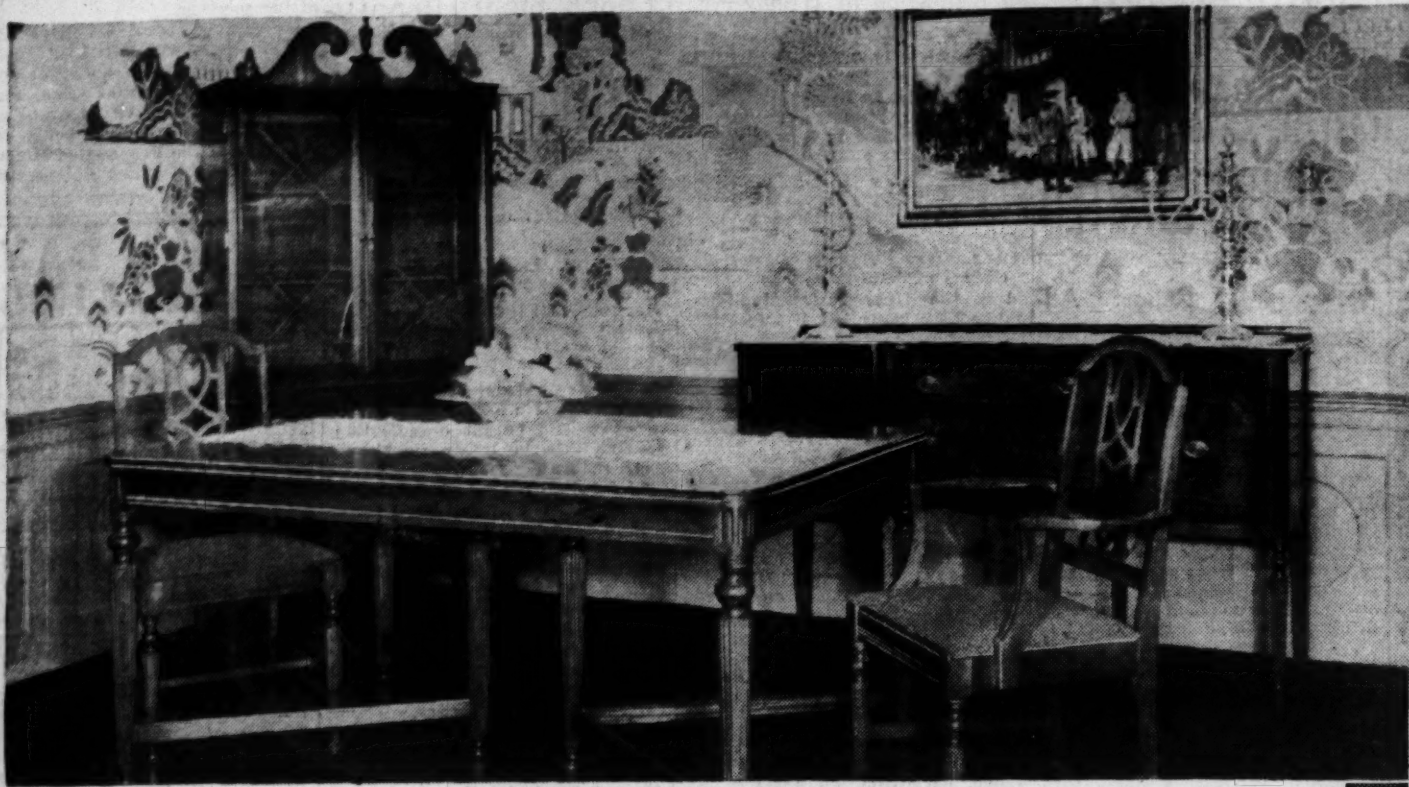
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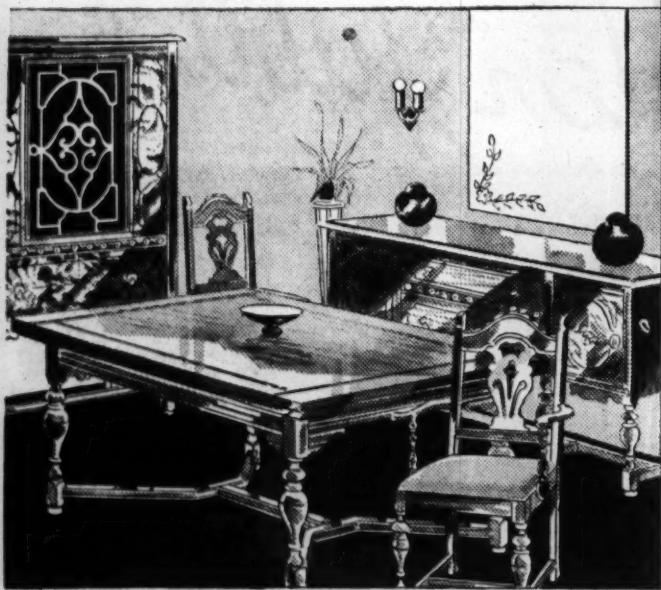
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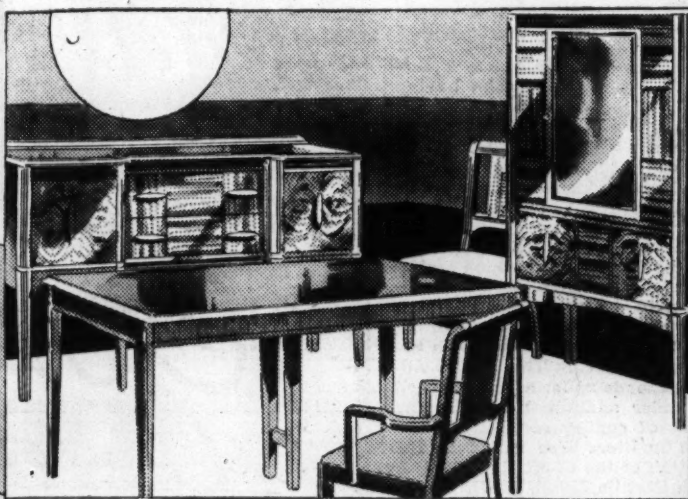


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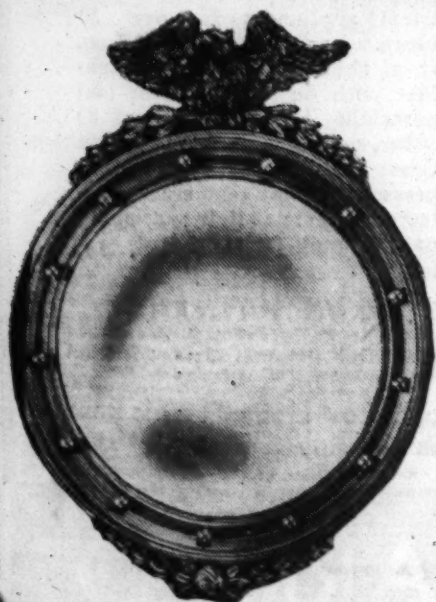
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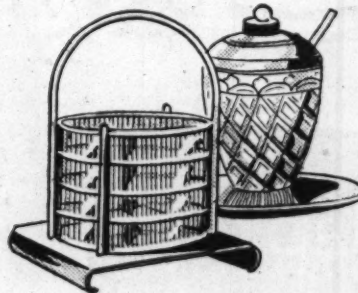


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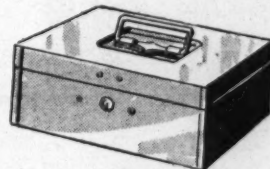
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Second Floor



DIZZY DEAN SIGNS; PAUL AGREES TO CARDINALS' TERMS

Shamrocks to Meet Heidelberg in Western Cup Final

REPORTED \$24,000 SALARY
FOR BIRDS' ACE PITCHER;
CONTRACT IS FOR ONE YEAR

By J. Roy Stockton

Of the Post-Dispatch Sports Staff.

BRADENTON, Fla., March 23.—The holdout troubles of the Cardinals are over. Last night, Dizzy Dean signed a one-year contract for a reported salary of \$24,000 and, today, Paul, over the long distance 'phone from Dallas, Tex., informed Branch Rickey that the terms offered him were agreeable.

Dizzy says he needs only about three days to get in shape. Paul will fly from Texas to camp by the first plane leaving. What salary was given Dizzy or promised Paul was not announced by club officials.

It was apparent to observers yesterday morning that Dizzy's contract resistance was all but broken down, when he appeared at the baseball park, took off his coat, picked up a bat and hit several drives to left field. Everybody knew then that it wouldn't be long.

There were the expected complimentary expressions from both sides. Dizzy said Messrs. Bradenton and Rickey were the finest "gentlemen" he had ever known in his life, that Frankie Frisch was "tops" as manager; Virgil Davis the best catcher in the business and Dizzy the best of all pitchers of this and all times.

Rickey said he was very happy that things were just as he wanted them to be and that it was a pleasure to have it all end as it did. Rickey begged off when photographers wanted to take the stereotyped pictures showing Dizzy signing a laundry slip or a telegraph blank, purporting to be a contract. Branch said several persons had predicted in the public prints that it was all just a baloney skit and that the baloney's final slicing would find Dizzy, Rickey and a piece of paper alleged to be a contract in front of the cameras.

Frisch was grinning, and Dizzy stayed in character. One of his first remarks to Frank was a request for a day off today, so he could keep a golf date with Babe Ruth and two or three other gentlemen of leisure.

"Golf my eye," Frisch retorted. "At the ball park at 12 o'clock or we'll get back some of that contract money right quick."

Dizzy said he'd need about three days to get into condition to pitch and suggested that he even could work against the Boston Bees this afternoon at St. Petersburg, if Frisch wanted to see him in action that soon.

No official statement was made about details of the contract, except that it was for one year, but it was generally understood that the document called for approximately \$24,000, a compromise between the \$18,500 original offer and the \$40,000 that Dizzy named as his figure when negotiations were

Inquiry by Landis
Into Dizzy's Row
At Chattanooga

BRADENTON, Fla., Mar. 23.—It was learned today that Commissioner Landis was investigating the barnstorming trip of last fall, during which Dizzy was charged by Joe Engel of Chattanooga with running out on an exhibition game. Mike Ryba and Jim Winford, who were with Dizzy at the time, have been questioned or summoned for questioning by the Commissioner and he probably will make a statement about the exhibition shortly.

According to Ryba, Dizzy did not run out on the game, and the affair was not as important as first information indicated. Mike said Dizzy was in uniform and would have pitched, but there were so few customers on hand that Engel was not apparently in favor of a game. According to Ryba, Engel was not angry at all at the time. Subsequently Engel has been quoted as challenging Dizzy to a fistic contest and it is understood that the challenge was brought to Judge Landis' attention, causing him to start a quiet investigation.

opened. Dizzy has advertising contracts contingent on his being a member of the club in good standing, one of them calling for \$15,000 for one year, so the season will net him not less than \$30,000. With other outside earnings, his income for the year will be well over \$40,000. It also is possible that he was promised additional compensation in case the home attendance exceeded certain figures.

During Dizzy's controversy with the club it became known that Paul had been offered \$85,000 and then \$85,000. He probably will get an ad-

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Cards' Big Guns Silenced,
'Bees' Win Exhibition, 2-0

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 23.—Checked to a whisper in the early innings by the fine pitching of young Bobby Reis, the Cardinals today dropped their exhibition game to the Boston Bees of the National League. Jim Winford, the Cards' starting pitcher, was found for 7 hits and 2 runs in 5 innings.

The weather was warm and the sky clear. About 1500 persons were in attendance. Pinelli and Moran were the umpires.

Boston took the lead in the second inning on two hits. Gelbert threw out Berger. Whitney singled off Gelbert's glove. Thompson singled to right, sending Whitney to third. Fletcher flied deep to T. Moore. Whitney scoring. Lewis walked. Terry Moore made a running diving glove-hand catch of Reis' long line drive to close the inning.

Reis kept four Cardinal hits scattered in the first five innings and then started a Boston scoring drive when he opened his fifth with a single. Tyler ran for Reis. Meyers sacrificed. Mize to Frisch. Urbanski doubled to left, scoring Tyler. G. Moore beat out a slow bouncer to Frisch. Urbanski going to third. eBurger popped to Durocher and Whitney forced G. Moore, Frisch to Durocher.

MacFayden went in to pitch for the Bees in the sixth and Medwick fouled to Lewis. Mize singled past Meyers. Gelbert walked. Durocher was called out on strikes, and a moment later Umpire Pinelli walked over to the Cardinal dugout and ordered Captain Durocher off the bench and sent him to the clubhouse. It seemed as though Durocher did not like the ruling on the last strike called on him. Davis was out, MacFayden to Fletcher to end the inning.

The last block of eight games was won by Stein, 1743-1506. Burton averaged 213, while Stein's was a little under 210.

SCORE BY INNINGS

CARDINALS	0
BOSTON BEES	2
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The Batting Order.

CARDINALS	BEES
T. Moore cf	Meyers 2b
Frisch 2b	Urbanski ss
Martin rf	G. Moore rf
Medwick lf	Berger cf
Mize 1b	Whitney 3b
Gelbert 3b	Thompson 1b
Durocher ss	Fletcher 1b
Davis c	Reis p
Winford p	
Umpires—Pinelli and Moran.	

ARKANSAS-MISSOURI
BASEBALL LEAGUE HAS
120-GAME SCHEDULE

MONETT, Mo., March 23.—The six-club Arkansas-Missouri Baseball League, successor to the Arkansas League, yesterday announced a 120-game schedule starting May 7 and ending Sept. 7. The Class D league will play a split season, breaking July 5.

Monett is backed by the Springfield Western Association club; Rogers, Ark., by the New York Yankees; Cassville by the Kansas City Blues, and Siloam Springs, Fayetteville and Bentonville, Ark., operate independently.

Battling for a Place in the Finals—The Shamrocks Trimming the Marres



Patenaude, center forward of the Shamrocks (extreme right), has just headed the ball, in the battle for a place in the U. S. F. A. Western final of the national championship race.

Exhibition Baseball

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Batteries: New York—Castelman and Mancuso; Chicago—Flowers and O'Dea.	
ROCHESTER (I. L.)	001000
BROOKLYN (N.)	310000



Jimmy Roe, alternate forward, scoring the final goal of the game giving the Shamrocks a 2-to-1 victory and the right to meet the Heidelberg for a place in the national final.

Paul Spica Will
Fight Tonight
In New York

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, March 23.—Thirty-two amateur boxers, 16 each from the New York and Chicago areas, today were paired for the Inter-City Golden Gloves competition, which will be held in Madison Square Garden tonight.

There will be two bouts in each of the eight classes, one for the championship and the other between the No. 2 men in each division.

The pairings with the championship bout named first:
112-POUND—Jackie Wilson, Cleveland, vs. Joe Wall, New York; Frank Di Marco, New York, vs. Sam Zaccari, Chicago.
118-POUND—Johnny Brown, Chicago, vs. Pete Scialzo, New York; George Coyle, New York, vs. William Joyce, Gary, Ind.
126-POUND—Ray Harris, Michigan City, Mich., vs. Austin McCann, New York; Raymond Olivero, New York, vs. Paul Spica, St. Louis.

147-POUND—Chester Rutelki, Chicago, vs. Vincent Pimpinella, New York; Wallace Peronneau, New York, vs. John Barbara, South Bend, Ind.
160-POUND—Al Wardlow, Dayton, O., vs. Robert Burke, New York; William Skinner, New York, vs. Paul Frasier, Chicago.
175-POUND—Carl Vinquerra, Omaha, vs. George Brothers, New York; Philip Ragosino, New York, vs. Herman West, Centralia, Ill.
HEAVYWEIGHT—Paul Hartneck, Omaha, vs. Jim Howell, New York; Nate Wright, New York, vs. Art Oliver, Chicago.

Bottomley at Browns' Camp; No Deal on for Burns, Hornsby Says

By Herman Wecke.

Of the Post-Dispatch Sports Staff.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 23.—Manager Rogers Hornsby of the Browns announced this afternoon that Merritt "Sugar" Cain and Ivy Andrews, a pair of righthanders, who are counted upon as regular starters for the club in the 1936 pennant race, would be on the hill when the American Leaguers face the Newark Internationals in an exhibition game here tomorrow afternoon.

Routine practice was gone through this morning, with a great deal of time being devoted to the sliding pit. It appears that many of the athletes, even among the regulars, are sadly in need of knowledge of sliding into the bases. Hornsby had all of his players take turns and he instructed them in the correct way to hit the dirt to hook away from the man covering the bag.

Bottomley in Camp.
Following almost an hour of this sort of work, the batters were given a chance in the two swatting cages. There are enough young players in camp with the idea that they are pitchers to enable Hornsby to use the two cages and thus give all the players a greater opportunity to sharpen their swatting eyes. The

Stein Beaten by
Burton, But May
Bowl Next Week

Nelson Burton, Dallas, Tex., was steeper in the "clutch" last night and defeated Otto Stein Jr. in their match in the national inter-city match game bowling tournament in a contest at the Arway Recreation alleys. Burton, holding a lead of 255 pins going into the final block of eight games, saw his lead diminish as Stein rallied, but in the final game, Burton rolled 214 while Stein could only hit 202. Burton finished with 6823 and Stein 6705.

Harry B. Feuser, president of the National Bowling Association, said this morning that Stein might be in the tournament when the next round is played next week. There were 14 pairs of bowlers competing yesterday in various cities, leaving seven remaining in the competition. This is an odd number, so one of the defeated bowlers will be picked to complete the bracket.

The bowler with the highest point total will be selected.

The Stein-Burton match was determined on points, a game won counting for one point and each 50 pins another point. Burton ended with 152 and 23-50 points, while Stein had 151 and 5-50. Stein had led Burton to 6-50 of a point when the last game was reached.

The last block of eight games was won by Stein, 1743-1506. Burton averaged 213, while Stein's was a little under 210.

ROE'S GOAL IN
SECOND PERIOD
BEATS MARRES
BY 2-1 MARGIN

LINEUPS AND SUMMARY

MARRES	SHAMROCKS
Goal: Rodriguez	Goal: Rodriguez
Left: L. F. Davidson	Left: L. F. Davidson
Center: H. H. Watson	Center: H. H. Watson
Right: L. H. Thompson	Right: L. H. Thompson
Referee: Mike Roylan of Pittsburgh.	Referee: Mike Roylan of Pittsburgh.
Scoring: Shamrocks—McNab (penalty).	Scoring: Shamrocks—McNab (penalty).
Ro. Marres—Laposa.	Ro. Marres—Laposa.

By James M. Gould.

Little Jimmy Roe took the role of "Frank Merriwell" for the Shamrocks yesterday and as a result of a goal by the speedy mite, Alec McNab's team defeated the Marres, 2 to 1, before 1800 fans at Sportsman's Park and entered the Western final of the U. S. F. A. Cup competition. They meet the Pittsburgh Heidelberg in the final. Roe didn't start, for Kane was at outside left when the game began. But Jimmy did play the last 20 minutes of the second half, and, scoring three minutes after his entry, provided the winning margin. It was tied, 1-1, when he came in, so he proceeded to untie it.

Team play of both clubs was severely hampered by a cross wind which played queer tricks with the ball. Perhaps this affected the Shamrocks a bit more disadvantageously, for the finalists make up a team which depends much on accurate passing. But the Marres, fighting every minute and doing their full share of rough work in the "clinches," made the victory a tough one. It was hard to pick a star, as better soccer has been played by both clubs. Laposa, with Tracy and Benoist, made up a strong halfback line for the Marres, and Ross was an effective outside left. McNab, for the Shamrocks, played his usual clever game, with Lehman, Davidson and Rodriguez powerful defenders.

The Pittsburgh referee, Mike Roylan, had the game well in hand all the way. He was inclined to be over technical, but on the whole merited nothing but praise for his work.

Shamrocks Score First.
Early play, except for infrequent rushes, was mainly in Marre territory and Gonsalves narrowly missed

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COLUMN

The Case of Burns.

IRVING "JACK" BURNS, first baseman for the Browns, is probably still a bit cuckoo from the shock of Saturday night's news.

Only a few days ago he was still a member of the "last-ditch" holdout brigade, refusing to sign because he wanted \$2000 more annual salary than the club was willing to give him.

Today Burns is wondering if he has a job. Although signed to a contract he can be traded or released on ten days' notice.

And the signing of "Sunny" Jim Bottomley seems to indicate that one of these alternatives may come to pass unless Burns shows a hitting power superior to that of his rival.

In fact, there already are rumors that the White Sox are after him, with Zeke Bonura still unsigned.

Of course it may be that Jim's batting eye has dimmed. Averages indicate it has. And until Hornsby finds out about their comparative value to the club, it

is probable Burns will be kept.

Burns, too, might regain the form which swept him into the form of first basemen, a few years ago. He topped the world in first base play and hit smartly, one season.

In recent years he has not been so successful either at bat or in the field. Neither has Sunny Jim. The battle between them for a permanent job will be watched with interest.

What Burns Didn't Know.

ANOTHER one of the little ironies of baseball life hooks up with the Burns case. That, too, goes back to his "holdout."

Burns was firm in his stand not to sign except at an increase in pay. The club had told him that it was giving raises to deserving players but considered that (Burns) had done nothing to deserve an advance. His record for several seasons had been mediocre. It was pointed out. He had driven in only 87 runs and for a first baseman that was considered nothing to brag about. Bottomley drove in 49 runs in 107 games last year.

The irony of the situation lay in the fact that the club could not tell Burns something that would have pulled his cork—namely, that every club in both leagues had "waived" on him. In other words no major league club wanted him

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ST. LOUIS FLYERS AND TULSA TIE, 1-1, AFTER 80 MINUTE BATTLE

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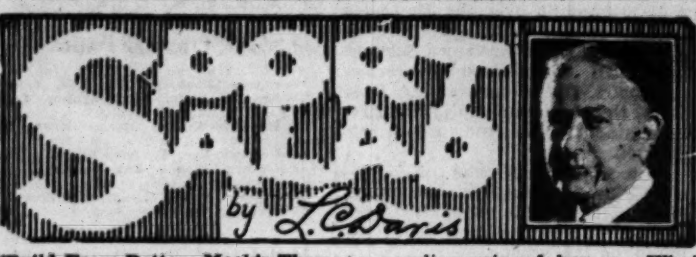
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Build From Bottom Mack's Theme

WHEN down from the top of the ladder you drop. You must build from the bottom instead of the top.

Stanley Bordagaray has the only mustache in the major leagues and is said to be thinking of blocking out a goatee. The House of David influence is making itself manifest.

Whether a guy whose whiskers get in the way of a pitched ball is entitled to be one of the umpires is a question.

Steve O'Neill says the Cleveland Indians are a ball club without cliches. But the question is, will they click?

Count that day lost when Old Sol fails to beam. Upon a brand-new brushless shaving cream.

Dizzy Dean has been so occupied with his holdout campaign that he seems to have forgotten to bat. At least we never hear any more about it.

Cy Young retired at the age of 45 with 511 victories to his credit. And Cy pitched in an era when nine innings was considered a fair day's work for a hurler.

Hank Greenberg spurned an offer of \$25,000 a year from the Tigers.

Maxie Rosenbloom, former lightweight champion, thinks he is entitled to a crack at Jim Braddock for the heavyweight crown. Maxie is like that.

If the Pittsburgh Pirates were at home now they would have to try their training in the long, low, rakish craft.

The stay-at-homes who went through those weeks of sub-zero weather can console themselves with the fact that, according to returning tourists, Florida wasn't so hot, either.

'SEEDED' STARS TO SEE ACTION IN DISTRICT'S INDOOR TENNIS

By Davison Ohear.

Play in the St. Louis District Indoor Tennis championships will be resumed late this afternoon on the Washington University Field House courts.

Russell Hadden, referee, announced that 18 singles matches had been definitely scheduled with the possibility of three doubles contests being played to-night.

Talbot Murphy, Triple A Club player, will oppose Harry Roberts of Bend, Ill., in the only remaining first-round match in the men's singles event. This match is scheduled for 10 o'clock tonight.

The number of seeded players in the men's singles has been reduced to eight. Lee Boldenweck, Clayton player, seeded No. 7, fell before the steady playing of Bill Kreuger in the opening round Saturday.

While Frank Keane, No. 3, was forced to withdraw on account of an injury.

Brother Hubert was busy himself scoring 236-233-195 for 664, good for temporary seventh berth in the standings.

While Leo was on his strike spree, Leo Exler, St. Louis Bowler, took lead in all events of A. B. C. Tourney with 1948.

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INDIANAPOLIS, March 23.—The Exler Brothers, Leo, Hubert and Harry, staged a brother act here yesterday which will net the St. Louis bowlers a goodly share of American Bowling Congress prize money.

Leo, rolling with the California total for top spot in the all events; rolled into second place in the doubles, paired with Lenn Springmeyer, the combination clipping the Maples for a 1262 count; Hubert Exler hung up 664 for seventh spot in the singles and Leo added a 612 singles total.

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103-2 Score in Game in National Basket Tourney

WICHITA, Kan., March 23.—The scoring record for the women's national A. A. U. basketball tournament was broken in the first game today when the favorites, the Eldorado, Ark., Lions defeated the Wichita Central, 103 to 2. The previous high score was 89. The Central were unable to sink a single field goal, getting their two points on free throws.

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ROOSEVELT CALLS FOR ABOLITION OF 'GROUP INTERESTS'

In Accepting Degree at
Rollins College, He
Urges Citizens to Think
of Country as a Whole.

'GOOD NEIGHBOR' POLICY STRESSED

'Development of National
Understanding Growing
By Leaps and Bounds,'
He Says in Address.

By the Associated Press.
WINTER PARK, Fla., March 23.—Declaring that critics of New Deal policies are people motivated by "group interests" rather than national welfare, President Roosevelt appealed to citizens today to be "good neighbors" and think in terms of the country as a whole.

In accepting an honorary degree of Doctor of Literature from Rollins College, the President also declared that growth and progress in education, politics and other spheres "invariably and inevitably are opposed bitterly, falsely and blindly opposed."

Business and commerce, pursuits in which many of the New Deal's opponents are to be found, were said by Roosevelt to be "almost wholly made up of groups."

The Algonquin Sydney Sullivan medalion was given to Mrs. Roosevelt. Greeted by Gov. Scholz of Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt participated in the chapel exercises.

Applauded vigorously, the President interpolated in his prepared address: "I am particularly happy to be here today, for it is the first time I have had the privilege of seeing my better half in cap and gown. Also, a lifelong friend of mine is achieved; at last my literary qualities are recognized. It cannot be because I have published books. I am sure—and I know my friends of the press are going to squirm at this—it must be because in the olden days I was editor in chief of my college paper."

Conflicting Reactions on Tax.

Nowhere in the brief address did he mention his administration specifically, but the tenor of his remarks was not lost to observers. In illustrating his views about "group interests," he drew upon the conflicting reactions he recently received to his proposed tax program.

"Not long ago," he said, two nationally known men visited me, one in the morning, the other in the afternoon. I asked the opinion of each of them in regard to a suggested new tax to replace a former tax which had been declared unconstitutional. My friend of the morning replied, 'I could not approve of that kind of tax—it would cost me many thousands of dollars.' My friend of the afternoon said, 'Such a tax would, it is true, cost me many thousands of dollars, but I am inclined to think that it is a fair tax, a tax equitable for the people of this country as a whole and, therefore, I would favor it.'"

Relationship of People.

"The development of national understanding as opposed to purely individual or local group domination is growing by leaps and bounds throughout our nation. It is the logical development of broader and better education and it is the logical development of the extension of what I sometimes call the policy of the good neighbor. The good neighbor is not just the man who lives next door to you. The objective includes the relationship of your family to his; it extends to all the people who live in the same block; it spreads to all the people who live in the same city, the same county and the same state; and most important of all for the future of our nation, it must and shall extend to all your neighbors, to your fellow citizens in all the states and in all the regions which make up the nation.

"First of all your duty and mine is to the nation. If we perform that duty well—and I—the policy of the good neighbor will in the long run assert itself so strongly, so victoriously, that it will spread to other peoples and nations throughout the world. The ideal is here—developed to a greater or less extent among the masses of the people in every nation. We of the Western Hemisphere are working together to prove the practical value of this great ideal of peace and justice among men and among nations.

"Just as you and I, indeed, the faculty and the students in any college reach conclusions individually and collectively, so do the masses of our people individually and collectively approach governmental problems. All of us are greatly influenced by group association. The family group is the oldest, the smallest, and yet through all change and all time the most important. Yet there are groups with some of

Main Points of Naval Treaty Among Three Powers; Relaxation Provided in 'Safeguard Clause'

Limitation on Number of Ships Abolished,
With Restrictions Only on the Sizes
of Vessels and Guns.

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, March 23.—The drafting committee of the International Naval Conference, in its final session, today made about 20 more changes in the text of the new naval treaty among the United States, Great Britain and France, most of them at the instigation of the American delegation.

An American spokesman said the essential features of the treaty, which had been known even before the committee set to work, were not altered although there were no less than 14 drafts written before the completion of the text.

The agreement will be signed Wednesday at St. James' Palace, the delegations hoping it will go into effect Jan. 1, 1937, when the Washington naval limitation treaty expires, and remain in force for six years. Although now only a tri-power treaty, it will be left open for adherence later by Japan and Italy.

The treaty carries a "safeguarding clause," giving the signatories liberty of action in case of unforeseen developments in the naval programs of other Powers.

Chief Difference in Treaties.

The chief difference between the existing treaties and the new treaty is the fact that limitations and the size of fleets is abolished and there will be only the limitation on sizes of ships and guns. Any Power can build as many ships of any type as it wishes, something now prohibited under the Washington treaty of 1922 and the London treaty of 1930, which will expire Dec. 31, 1936.

The present treaties limited the number of ships that the five Powers, Britain, United States, Japan, France and Italy could build, but all thought of a continuance of this "quantitative" principle was eliminated when Japan recently walked out of the conference when its equality demands were not met.

The ratio of 5-5-3 is wiped out, as far as treaties are concerned. This is the chief thing in the existing agreements to which Japan objected. But treaty or no treaty, it is expected that the United States and Britain will try unofficially to maintain their fleets at such a size as to prevent alteration of this ratio in actual practice.

Limitation on the size of battleships remains the same, 35,000 tons. In 1940 a possible reduction in size after that year if experiments on new ships, which each power plans to build, show that a reduction is feasible, from the standpoint of their naval needs.

The size of guns is set at 14 inches, provisionally. The five signatories of the existing Washington treaty must all agree on 14 inches by Jan. 1, 1937, or the present maximum of 16 inches will remain effective.

Two Classes of Battleships.

Battleships for the first time are divided into two classes: "A," or large, and "B," or small. "A" is from 17,500 to 35,000 tons, "B" from 8,000 down to 10,000 tons. There is a

non-construction zone between 17,500 tons and 8,000 tons.

It is further agreed under the treaty that the smallest size gun in the main batteries of any battleship of any type must be 10 inches. This is the chief distinction between small battleships and small cruisers, because no cruiser could have a gun of 10 inches.

The two categories were decided on after France and Italy urged the non-construction zone. They said they wanted to prevent a race in building battleships just above cruiser limits, making necessary for the Powers to build either small or good-sized ships which would not in any way conflict with cruisers.

The 100-ton minimum was merely put in to give the tonnage range complete depth. It is recognized by the delegations that there could be no battleship that small with a 10-inch gun.

The age of capital ships is increased six years, from 20 to 26 years. This adds six years to the time the present battleships of the powers can be replaced.

10,000-Ton Cruiser Holiday.

A holiday is declared in the construction of 10,000-ton cruisers. The treaty sets the maximum size of cruisers that can be built during the treaty at 8,000 tons with guns of a maximum size of 6.1 inches.

The 10,000-ton ships are favorites of the American navy, but the American delegation was authorized to accept the building holiday because the United States, it was stated, does not desire to increase the number of its large cruisers now or to replace any existing ships of this type for the present.

The minimum size of cruisers will depend on the requirements of the individual Powers. Cruiser limitations and definitions are listed under the heading of "light surface vessels." The 10,000-ton ship comes under category A and the 8,000-ton ship under category B. These are usually known as large and small cruisers.

Smaller Aircraft Carriers.

Aircraft carriers are cut from 27,000 tons maximum to 23,000 tons. Guns are limited in size to 6.1 inches, and on a carrier can have more than 10 guns of a caliber of 5.25 inches or more.

Submarine limitations stay as they are, 2,000 tons and 5.1-inch guns.

There is a new class of small craft, called "minor combatant vessels" limited to 2,000 tons, 6.1-inch guns, and a speed of 20 knots. The treaty provides that each signatory Power shall declare its annual building program and shall advise each other of construction plans for the year. Announcement of programs must take place within the first four months of the year and no keel can be laid until after the eighth month of the year.

RECORD PEACE-TIME ARMY BILL PASSED BY SENATE

Again Refuses Funds for Florida
Ship Canal; Measure Now
Goes to Conference.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 23.—After again refusing funds to continue work on the Florida ship canal, the Senate today passed a peace-time record War Department supply bill to maintain an army strength of 165,000 men and for work on rivers and harbors project. The total appropriation was \$611,000,000.

The measure now goes to conference with the House for action on Senate additions of \$66,000,000.

The Senate increased the total for rivers and harbors to \$196,000,000 and left undisturbed the House items of about \$30,000,000 more for flood control.

A motion by Truman (Dem.), Missouri, to permit another vote on the Florida canal amendment by Fletcher (Dem.), Florida, was defeated, 36 to 35.

The amendment lost, 39 to 34, on the first vote last week, after Senator Vandenberg (Rep.), Michigan, had conducted a vigorous drive against the project as "economically unsound." Fletcher replied that failure to supply additional funds meant a slap at President Roosevelt for "making a great mistake" in starting the project.

POLITICAL CLASH IN MOROCCO

20 Wounded in Fight Between Leftists
and French Veterans.

PORT LAUTEY, Morocco, March 23.—Twenty persons were wounded yesterday when members of the Croix de Feu, French veterans organization, clashed with Popular Front Leftists.

Police said the Leftists attacked 1200 members of the Croix de Feu who were returning from a picnic. Stones and clubs were used in the melee.

JAPANESE ARMY SHAKEUP AS RESULT OF REBELLION

Two Generals, Some of Whose
Troops Revolted, Are Relieved
of Commands.

By the Associated Press.
TOKIO, March 23.—Lieutenant-General Toranosuke Hashimoto and Lieutenant-General Takeo Hori, some of whose troops participated in the Feb. 26 uprising, were relieved of their commands today and placed on the waiting list.

These were the outstanding changes in a list of sweeping reassignments of high Japanese army commands as a result of the rebellion and assassinations.

Gen. Hashimoto, former commander of the Interior Division, and Gen. Hori, former commander of the Bodyguard Division, were slated for early retirement from the service.

Japanese writers asserted the changes promised a tightening of army discipline and unity, eradicating the "direct actionist" ideas which motivated the February uprising. Non-Japanese expressed the opinion that the influence of the moderate wing of the army was increased by the reassignments.

ULSTER LEADER FALLS DEAD

Sir Frederick Cleaver Stricken on
Street in Belfast.

By the Associated Press.
BELFAST, Northern Ireland, March 23.—Sir Frederick Cleaver, 60 years old, a leader in the Ulster movement on the Unionist side and former director of American Red Cross relief work in Ireland, fell dead on a street here Saturday night.

Sir Frederick was knighted in 1927. He was a director of Melville & Co. and a local director of the London & Lancashire Insurance Co.

PRESIDENT NAMES THREE FOR STUDY OF GOVERNMENT

Asks for Co-operation of
Byrd Senate Committee
Which Seeks to Abolish
Overlapping Bureaus.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 23.—President Roosevelt has appointed a committee of three to investigate the Government's administrative machinery with a request for co-operation by the Special Senate "Economy" Committee headed by Senator Byrd (Dem.), Virginia.

The White House, announcing the new committee shortly after the President departed for the South yesterday, also made public a suggestion of Roosevelt for creation of a committee similar to the Byrd group by the House of Representatives.

Louis Brownlow of Washington, Director of the Public Administration Clearing House, was named chairman of the President's committee. Other members are Luther Gulick, New York, Director of the Institute of Public Administration, and Charles E. Merriam, Professor of Political Science at the University of Chicago.

Byrd Wants Costs Cut.

Both Brownlow and Gulick were announced last week as advisers for the Byrd Committee, which has been given \$50,000 to conduct its investigation. Byrd has said the principal object of his committee was to search for "useless agencies" that may be abolished and "overlapping bureaus" that may be consolidated at savings of "hundreds of millions of dollars in Federal Government costs."

Byrd said Brownlow and Gulick were named to the presidential committee by Roosevelt to make possible, through them, the coordination of the work of the two groups. He said the President told him of his plans last week.

"I asked him to avoid any duplication," said Byrd, "which he assured me he would."

White House Announcement.

The White House announcement said the President's committee was created to "make a careful study of the relation of the emergency agencies to the regular organizations of the executive branch of the Government." It was said the group would serve as an adjunct of the National Emergency Council, which will provide office facilities "and such personnel as the committee may require."

In addition to appointing its five advisers, the Byrd Committee has engaged the Brookings Institution to outline its inquiry. Assistance of Comptroller-General J. R. McCarl, whose term expires next June, to aid in the investigation also has been proposed to the Byrd group. McCarl has criticized some expenditures of the Roosevelt administration.

The Byrd Committee is to report to the Senate next January. President Roosevelt has instructed his committee to make its report to him in time so that he can make recommendations also to the next Congress.

37 KILLED, MANY WOUNDED IN FOUR MEXICAN CLASHES

In Durango, Town Officials
Fight Rebels—Soldiers
Take Part in Engagement in Mountains.

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MEXICO, D. F., March 23.—Thirty-seven persons were killed and many were wounded in various parts of Mexico, reports from the provinces say, in fighting in rural districts over the week-end.

Federal reinforcements were rushed to the town of Canacatlan, in the north central State of Durango, where press reports say town officials stood off an attack by 40 rebels yesterday and killed seven of the insurgents. A Police Sergeant and two soldiers, stationed at Canacatlan, were wounded during the conflict.

Dispatches from Durango say 10 insurgents of a force led by Federico Vazquez were killed by Federal troops during a battle Saturday in the Taxicangua Mountains of that State. Several prisoners, including women traveling with the rebel band, are reported to have been taken by the troops, and horses and rifles were seized.

Terrorism in Jalisco.

Insurgents, thought to be opponents of the Government's socialistic education program, terrorized the town of Paredones, in the State of Jalisco, Saturday night, and killed a schoolboy and a police official, dispatches say.

The men who attacked Paredones are reported to have entered the village school and opened fire on the students.

The invaders then went through the town, searching for teachers whom they threatened to kill. After smashing furnishings in the homes of several teachers, the raiders fled to the mountains, pursued by troops sent from Guadalajara.

The State of Jalisco has been the scene of numerous attacks on Socialistic school teachers and of other rebel activities during the last year. On Saturday, Gen. Juan

Polar Explorer Back in U. S.



LINCOLN ELLSWORTH
WITH his wife, MARY LOUISE ELLSWORTH, arriving at Los Angeles from his trip to the South Pole. She met him at Honolulu.

Hoover Visits G. H. Lorimer.
PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—Former President Herbert Hoover returned to New York from a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Horace Lorimer which Lorimer, editor of the Saturday Evening Post, said had no political significance. The former President, accompanied by his secretary, Lawrence Ritchie, motored to the Lorimer home at suburban Wyncoke yesterday and returned late in the day.

BANKING IMPROVED, O'CONNOR REPORTS

Federal Comptroller Cites Only
5 Failures Under De-
posit Insurance Plan.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 23.—In his annual report to Congress, J. F. T. O'Connor, Comptroller of the Currency, today noted a material improvement in the banking situation as reflected in periodic statements of condition.

The report, covering the period ended last Oct. 31, said only five national banks had failed since inauguration of Federal deposit insurance Jan. 1, 1934. These five had deposits of \$5,440,000, compared with a peak of 438 national banks which suspended operations in 1933, involving deposits of \$781,679,000, the report stated.

In his suggestion for legislation, O'Connor asked Congress to clarify an existing law whereby national banks may declare dividends only semi-annually. Observers believed it meant the repeal of the 70-year-old provision that the Comptroller himself declares is being constantly violated.

The most flagrant violation was said to involve cases where a bank would declare the dividends semi-annually, but would make disbursements on quarterly installments. It is understood O'Connor wants the law changed so that dividends legally may be both declared and paid quarterly.

O'Connor also renewed his suggestion for a retirement plan or pension fund for national bank examiners. The plan would be financed through monthly salary deductions from the employees plus the application of a portion of the assessments against banks and their affiliates.

The report showed 163 national bank receiverships were terminated during the period, including 11 banks which were restored to solvency. This figure exceeds by 41 the largest total of receiverships terminated in any one year in the previous history of this bureau, O'Connor said.

"The stabilizing influence of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation," the report said, "cannot be overemphasized. Approximately 52,000,000 depositors are insured in 14,218 banks, and the deposits of approximately 98.5 per cent of them are fully insured under the maximum of \$5000 protection."

RECORD OF LABOR BOARD

Agency Has Acted in 641 Cases Involving 146,245 Workers.
WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Labor Relations Board has announced it acted in 641 cases involving 146,245 workers through March 1.

Of this total, 317 cases involving 69,041 workers have been settled. The board was set up to enforce the Wagner Labor Disputes Act.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

On the Value of Corporate Surpluses.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

THE grasshopper of fabry who sang through and laughed at the ant for working hard to accumulate food for the coming winter, has been vigorously defended in your letter column. Several of your correspondents espouse the grasshopper philosophy and attempt to prove the folly of saving, the wisdom of spending and the complete fallacy of the viewpoint expressed by the St. Louis Union Trust Co. in its advertisement entitled "The Seven Lean Years."

One quotes "Brass Tacks" as saying: "Redistribution of income on a rational scale is a desirable means for encouraging more spending and less saving." Another states: "A surplus that consists of bank deposits, bonds and other securities is of no value to the nation."

Not a cent of purchasing power is gained when such a surplus is drawn upon." A third says: "Modern surpluses are not for the purpose of feeding the people in lean years." That economic oracle, the Nation, is quoted as stating that it is impossible for a nation to lay aside money in good times for use in depression.

Your correspondents regard surpluses of bank deposits and securities as unreal and distinguish between them and surpluses of tangible goods such as grain, oil and cotton. They overlook the fact that securities represent investments in tangible goods, in manufacturing plants, machinery and equipment, and that bank deposits are not hoarded money but are invested in securities and in loans to business men which are used to pay wages and to buy materials and thus to create tangible goods.

Despite the Nation's verdict of impossibility, the fact remains that American business did accumulate surplus in good times, and did draw upon this surplus to the extent of 27 billion dollars during the depression. This 27 billion dollars of business savings was "surplus that consists of bank deposits, bonds and other securities," which one correspondent says "is of no value to the nation." It kept thousands of corporations in business that, without surplus, would have been forced to shut down, and kept millions employed who otherwise would have been added to the relief rolls. Modern surpluses do feed the people in lean years.

It is difficult to believe that anyone can argue seriously that corporate surplus is unnecessary. Anyone interested in the consequences of the destruction of corporate surplus will find the experience of Germany worthy of study. The inflation in Germany, by making the mark worthless, wiped out all liquid working capital. While the most powerful German corporations were able to borrow abroad at 10 and 12 per cent interest, the shortage of working capital closed down the majority of German enterprises and created depression of a severity and public privation of a degree which this country has not yet seen.

Everyone with a savings account knows the falsity of grasshopper economics. He knows that his savings account is purchasing power. He knows the folly of spending all his earnings and having nothing saved for an emergency. Every wage earner knows that his wages are purchasing power. They will purchase just as much whether paid from current earnings or from corporate surplus. If there is no corporate surplus, there will be no wages the next time depression strikes. But grasshopper economy believes that winter never comes.

TOWNER PHELAN.

Sidelight.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
S IDELIGHT on cock-eyed eggs laid by F. D. R. and other cuckoos in the nest of the American eagle from Martha Carr's column:

Dear Martha Carr:
I am to get \$10 a month for old-age pension. Would it be against the law if I would try to get a little work so I would earn something? I am 75 years old. Ten dollars will not go very far.

NAUSEATED.

As Labor Would Put It.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
G EN. HERMANN GOERING, chief executioner of the Third Reich, stated in his speech of March 12 at Koenigsberg, among other "important" points: "The depths had opened beneath a nation. With Soviet flags flying, Germany was about to march to its destruction and then came the man (Hitler) and the resurrection."

The Liberty Leaguers all over the world will of course, hail such "philosophy," but labor would correct Goering's words to read as follows:

"The depths had opened beneath a nation. With Soviet flags flying, Germany was about to march to freedom from economic incompetence, from production for profit to production for use, from imperialist intrigue to permanent peace. Then came the treason of workers' leaders and the madman Hitler, and the resurrection of economic and industrial slavery in the form of beastly Fascism, which if not speedily overthrown, will plunge the world into war."

VIRGIL FRENCH.

LESSONS OF THE FLOODS.

One of the greatest flood disasters in their history has swept parts of 13 Northeastern states. Loss of lives has risen to more than 160, property damage to about \$300,000,000. More than 200,000 persons have been made homeless. Business, travel and communication have been disrupted. New records for flood levels have been set.

Stories of tragedy and of heroism have filled the press since the deluge began. The nation has rallied its resources to help meet the grave situation. Federal, state and local funds are being drawn upon; the Red Cross appeal is meeting generous response; the WPA, National Guard, Boy Scouts and other organizations are helping perform the tasks of relief.

Again the insignificance of man's works when pitted against nature's manifestations is shown. Flood control efforts in the devastated region have proved of insubstantial value in restraining the violence of the deluge. This is true, in part at least, because the origin of these floods is largely in sources beyond man's control.

The unusually heavy snows of the past winter set the stage for these record floods. It was not melting snow alone, however, that brought them. Heavy rains throughout the Northeast were the immediate cause. Had the soil been dry, the rainfall would have been largely absorbed, or run-off at least would have been held to safe proportions.

As it was, the soil was near the point of saturation. Soil experts have estimated the run-off at close to 100 per cent. The wet soil shed the rainfall and sent it rushing through tributaries into the Monongahela, Allegheny, Connecticut, Shenandoah, Potomac, Upper Ohio, Susquehanna and other major streams, with disastrous results.

Erosion, too, played its part as a contributory cause in the flood devastation. The fertile top soil, major asset of our country's agricultural industry, is highly absorbent. After it has disappeared, through neglect or abuse, rain water runs off in sheets. This has been proved in many demonstrations.

The flood damage is the smaller part of the loss, however. The violence of these waters tears away the fertile top soil, thus destroying the farmer's basic capital. The average depth of this stratum is seven inches, and nature requires about 400 years to build or replace one inch. One flood thus may undo the work of centuries.

In the densely settled Northeastern states, the work of man has speeded the erosion process for generations. Forests, so effective in retarding run-off, have been destroyed over the section. Floods are part of the price paid for these abuses. The early flood records were set before erosion had become serious in the region. The erosion factor doubtless explains why these records have now been surpassed at Pittsburgh, Hartford, on the Potomac and at other points.

In all, it is estimated, the erosion loss is about \$400,000,000 per year from the nation's farm lands, and the cumulative damage since the process began has reached 10 billion dollars. "If the wastage is not stopped," says the recent report of the National Resources Committee, "the cumulative loss will reach the staggering figures of 25 or 30 billion dollars, equivalent to a loss of \$4000 on every farm in the United States."

Beside such figures, the losses in the present floods, while under more spectacular circumstances, appear insignificant.

Another cause of the damage that has resulted goes back to the founding of the cities principally afflicted: Johnstown, Pittsburgh, Binghamton, Hartford, etc. The first settlers chose for their cabins points convenient to river commerce, and the cities there established now find their business centers in lowlands menaced by rising waters.

With his present implements and works, man cannot cope with the tremendous volume of water that results from rains falling on saturated soil over a large area. He can, however, minimize the damage by flood control methods and by prevention and repair of erosion. Such a disaster as that in the Northeast points to the urgent need.

KEEP IT GOING.

The fate of the course in neuro-psychiatric nursing at the City Sanitarium is to be decided Thursday morning at a meeting in the Board of Public Service room at City Hall. There can be no question as to the value of this course, which represents an item of only \$6000 in the city budget.

First and foremost, nurses who are especially trained for handling mental patients can and do lessen the suffering and unhappiness of many of these unfortunates. Second, the increased individual and intensive care growing out of the course has shortened the stay of many patients; the authority for this statement is Dr. F. M. Grogan, superintendent of the City Sanitarium. Third, with plans under way for the construction of a psychiatric hospital in St. Louis, the immediate future will be an ideal time to train St. Louis nurses for this work. Finally, the course (in operation just a year) is a distinction to the community, since there are only a few in the country.

On the scores of humanity, economy and medical progress in St. Louis, this training course should go on.

LIETCHEN AT THE BRIDGE.

How tenuous is the majority by which Mayor Dickmann's forces control the Board of Aldermen, as a result of their recent reorganization coup, is shown by the necessity of taking a two-week adjournment, in the face of pressing business and the approaching end of the annual session, because one converted Alderman wants to go to Hot Springs, Ark. With Alderman Otto L. Lietchen out of town, administration measures would be defeated by a fractional vote, 14 to 14. Lietchen was one of the Aldermen who switched allegiance in the reorganization, prior to which the board stood 17 to 12 against the Mayor. The Dickmann group was hardly in a position to say to him, "Stay here like a good little Alderman and come to meetings." In short, Mr. Lietchen had 'em and he knew it. He already had shown what he could do by kicking over the traces on a bill to prohibit billboards around plazas, parks and public buildings, which was defeated for lack of his vote.

Previously, the administration had seen how easily its plans could be upset, when Alderman Hubert A. Hoefflinger's objections in behalf of some of his constituents held up a bill to extend the express highway over Vandeventer avenue. Hoefflinger at first stood defiant at the bridge, like Horatius of old, but he has retreated, undertaking to induce merchants in his ward to change their minds. Lietchen's absence will delay final action on this measure and

on two grade-crossing eliminations. It looks as if he had replaced Hoefflinger and would hurl taunts from the Hot Springs end of the legislative bridge alike at Mayor Dickmann's Romans and the opposition Etruscans.

PROTECT THE NATIONAL PARKS.

Twelve national conservation organizations have joined in a public protest against a plan to transform Grand Lake in the Rocky Mountain National Park into a water power reservoir, as proposed in a rider to the Interior Department appropriation bill.

These conservation groups take the position that the change in the status of the lake, the construction of a 13-mile tunnel through the park and the building of a covered ditch 8000 feet long within the park to divert water from the Colorado River watershed to the Platte watershed would violate both the spirit and the letter of the act of 1916 which created the National Park Service.

The protesting organizations stand on the most solid of ground. Congress would make a serious mistake if it approved the rider providing for this so-called "intermountain diversion project." There is only one way to handle proposals which would open the way for the impairment of the national park system, and that is to reject them all.

There is nothing new about such schemes. Congress always has, or so it seems, one or more before it. Two years ago, Senator Carey of Wyoming came out for the establishment of a reclamation reservoir and two irrigation reservoirs in the new Grand Teton National Park in his State. When he was a member of the Senate, Albert B. Fall tried to get authorization for a commercial water project on national park land in New Mexico. Since 1916, Congress has resolutely rejected all such proposals.

The reason is to be found in the language of the act setting up the National Park Service. It is unmistakable. Congress decreed that the use of the national parks is to be so regulated as "to conform to the fundamental purpose of said parks . . . to conserve the scenery and the natural and historic objects and the wild life therein in such manner and by such means as will leave them unimpaired for the enjoyment of future generations."

To cite the O'Shaughnessy dam in the Hetch Hetchy Valley of Yosemite National Park and the Sherburne lakes reclamation reservoir on the edge of Glacier National Park is not to cite precedents for proposals that are being advanced now. Both of these antedated the National Park Service Act; its passage was a repudiation of the policy of despoilment which made them possible.

Keep the national parks public playgrounds. Keep commercial water projects out of them.

COME IN FOR JUST A RUBBER!

The upper ten of contract bridge have been chosen for the competitive season of 1935-36. Again the name of Oswald Jacoby leads all the rest, as it did a year ago. This is the first time a champion has repeated in the serene and pensive annals of contract. But to leave our hero at this point, sitting idly upon the throne, without following the paths of supremacy he blazed, wouldn't be fair to him, or to the reader, or to the Liberty League.

On the word of Collier's Weekly, which finds a sadistic delight in harassing the country's contractors and contracters with tales of these miracle men's uncanny skill—on the word of that publication, Jacoby is good. Pivot or set, duplicate or rubber, thumbed or unthumbed cards, New Deal or Old Deal, it is all the same to Oswald. He hasn't missed a finesse since the Chicago Cubs belted Dizzy Dean all over our local landscape on that sad September afternoon. Some of us call it prowess, but others call it luck. Still others don't know what to call it.

There is more to be said about these upper teners. The first five are married, which implies that contract bridge is not the home-wrecker it jolly well seems to be. Five of them, though not the first five, are graduates of Columbia University, which surely calls for three cheers for Nicholas Murray Butler. Most of them keep in physical trim by playing tennis. No mention is made of golf, no reference to badminton. All but one of them are New Yorkers, by birth or adoption, and every one of them is a member of the Cavendish Club.

With the data spread before you, how, we should like to ask, how are they going to keep the Browns out of first division?

The English, Mr. Lloyd George says, are fed up with Europe and are only wishing that the channel were as broad as the Atlantic Ocean.

TEXAS IN THE NATION'S HISTORY.

Texas is celebrating its centennial this year with an exposition of ambitious scope at Dallas, and a host of other events over the whole of the far-flung State. Texas celebrates, not the anniversary of settlement or of statehood, as is the custom of other states, but of independence, for the Lone Star State alone of all the Union's members won its own freedom and had a period of separate national existence.

Texas reviews a rich historic past, an existence under six flags and a record of pioneering and of heroism that had its high point in the Alamo, where 185 men made a desperate stand against an overwhelming force of 2400, just a century ago this month. "Thermopylae had its messenger of defeat; the Alamo had none," is the epitaph of the gallant defenders. They died true to the defiant words of their commander, Col. William B. Travis: "I shall never surrender or retreat."

The celebrations will acquaint the country with the distinguished history of Texas, and the State's varied assets. It can do more in impressing upon Americans from all over the nation that the events now celebrated are not matters of State history alone, but of national history. The War for Texas Independence contributed to the making of a nation in the Southwest, just as did the War of the Revolution on the Atlantic seaboard. The Texas pioneers took their stand for liberty, against tyranny and dictatorship, just as did the colonists. The Alamo is rightfully a part of the national tradition, just as is Bunker Hill. Col. Travis, David Crockett, Sam Houston, Stephen Austin, James Bowie and the other heroes of Texas history are heroes in the national galaxy as well. They helped create the united nation that this year joins its largest State in honoring its signal contributions to the national history.

A good many of the big fellows contributed to the American Taxpayers' League, but though Manager Arnold wrote a complimentary letter to J. Pierpont Morgan, he "never got a rise out of him." The old untouchable, eh?



WORKING AN OLD RACKET.

TODAY AND TOMORROW

By Walter Lippmann

Dodging the Relief Problem

THE President's message of last Wednesday said in effect that he has considered the problem for an additional 10 weeks since he submitted his budget and that, after due reflection, he would rather not take up the relief problem seriously just now. That this is what it comes down to may be seen from the manner in which he has calculated that he needs a billion and a half in new funds.

He has taken the number of persons now dependent on public relief, has figured out how much money will be left over from this year's appropriations. He finds that it will cost two billions more to take care of all of them as they are now being taken care of. Then he has cut the figure down to one and one-half billions in the hope that private industry will hire from the relief rolls enough persons to cut the costs that much. Now this amounts to saying that, while he is willing to let private industry induce persons to come off the relief rolls, he does not propose to exert any pressure to put anyone off the relief rolls.

In taking this position, he is choosing to ignore what is common knowledge, that there is a percentage of the relief population, undoubtedly a minority but in many communities by no means a negligible minority, who are on relief because, for the effort required, it pays better than a job. The problem of giving relief is, of course, not only to keep the destitute alive but to preserve their self-respect. For the great majority, this means generous relief associated whenever possible with useful work.

The President has been courageous and sensitive in dealing with this great majority, and few who stop to think about what unemployment really means will begrudge the cost. But there are also the minority who, instead of having their self-respect preserved by public relief, lose it and become demoralized and would rather be on relief than take a job.

This minority, of which there are conspicuous examples in almost every village in the United States, are the cause of practically all the popular resentment against the relief program. They are also a standing menace to the self-respecting unemployed on relief. For they demonstrate that persons without self-respect fare just as well as those who have it, and in the public mind, all those on relief tend to be lumped together.

The relief problem as such is to purge the rolls of those who ought not to be on them. But this cannot be done from Washington. Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Hopkins do not know and cannot know which of the destitute unemployed in each of the 3000 counties really need relief and which need to be put under pressure to find work. In the small communities, their neighbors can and do know this, not with perfect justice and sympathy, by any means, but with the nearest approximation to it obtainable. In the large cities, the social workers know the truth more or less. In any event, relief in the last analysis is a matter of dealing with individuals. There is no set of rules that can be written in Washington which will determine the truth about individual need.

For that reason, a serious effort to deal with the waste, the demoralization and the scandal that attend—I do not say pervade—relief today must begin with a far more radical decentralization of authority and responsibility than now exists. Admittedly, the states must still come to the Federal Government for help. But let the states determine who needs relief, let them decide how much relief and what kind of relief is suitable to their conditions and let the Federal Government contribute a part of the cost. For of all activities that ought not to be administered from Washington, relief is near the top of the list. It is always the problem of an individual in the circumstances of his immediate community, and any attempt to give relief wholesale is sure to mean injustice, demoralization and scandal.

It is impossible to suppose that the President is not fully aware of the force of these considerations. Why, then, has he after months of deliberation chosen to dodge the problem for another year? Not, I think, as some of his critics will charge, because Mr. Farley wants to buy the votes of the relief population. If Mr. Farley has been consulted, he has, I should suppose, reported that as far as the outright purchase of votes goes, relief drives away about as many voters as it gains.

Relief enters into politics much more potently in quite another way: through the Governors, the Mayors, the county officials who run the party machine, down to the precincts. If relief were decentralized, they would be caught between two fires. If the local politicians purged the relief rolls, they would, of course, make enemies not only among those who were put off but among the henchmen and wardheelers who help applicants to get on. If the politicians did not purge the rolls, they would have the local taxpayers on their backs.

So, with few exceptions, all the local party machines exert every influence they can to avoid this dilemma. They are all for Federal relief administered so that the criticism is vented on Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Hopkins while they avoid raising local taxes, yet spend large sums and take care of the needy.

All these local party machines taken together are the national party. As an organization, it has no other existence. The local machines like the present system, for it enables them to spend without taxing and to distribute benefits without bearing the brunt of the criticism. But that is a bad reason for liking the present system, and there is not, I venture to believe, a member of the President's Cabinet who does not know it is a bad system.

It goes without saying that, since this is election year, it must seem to the administration a poor time to pick a quarrel with 48 Governors, especially when all but 10 or so are Democrats. But it is a serious matter to tie all the local political machines to Washington through the relief funds, and the longer the system lasts, the harder it will be to untie them.

If we do not look out, we shall build up a vested interest, consisting of the Governors and Mayors, which will be as formidable a lobby as has ever terrorized Congress. (Copyright, 1936.)

The Court and the Laws

From the Kansas City Star.

JUSTICES of the United States Supreme Court, it has been noted in the Star's Washington correspondence, have been heard in private conversation to express strong disapproval of a law they had just sustained in their public capacity as jurists.

This ability on the part of the Justices to take an objective view of a statute presented to them for judgment as to its constitutionality is plainly demanded by the broad powers and immunities conferred upon their court. Unless they are able to set aside their personal beliefs concerning the wisdom of such legislation and consider merely whether Congress or the state Legislature enacting it had proceeded within the authority granted by the Federal Constitution, members of the Supreme Court lay themselves open to the charge of usurping the legislative functions of government.

The Supreme Court Justices have frequently referred in their judicial opinions to their duty in differentiating between the constitutional validity of a law and what they personally think of its desirability as an expression of public policy. But no other jurist probably has stated this proposition so often as the late Oliver Wendell Holmes.

In one of his most famous phrases, Holmes protested against attempts to stretch the fourteenth amendment "beyond the absolute compulsion of its words to prevent the making of social experiments . . . even though the experiments may seem futile or even noxious to me and to those whose judgment I most respect."

The same idea, however, occurs repeatedly in his opinions. The Constitution, Holmes once reminded his fellow jurists, "is made for people of fundamentally differing views, and the accident of our finding certain opinions natural and familiar, or novel and even shocking, ought not to conclude our judgment upon the question of whether statutes embodying them conflict with the Constitution of the United States."

But perhaps his most comprehensive expression of this theory is contained in a dissenting opinion he wrote in 1922, when he argued that Congress has the power to establish a minimum wage for women in the District of Columbia. He then declared: "The criterion of constitutionality is not whether we believe the law to be for the public good. . . . If the same (American) Legislature should accept the further opinion (of the president of the Australian Industrial Court) that industrial peace was best obtained by the device of a court having the above powers, I should not feel myself able to contradict it, or to deny that the end justified restrictive legislation quite as adequately as beliefs concerning Sunday or exploded theories about usury. I should have my doubts, as I have them about this statute—but they would be whether the bill that has to be paid for every gain, although hidden as interstitial detriment, was not greater than the gain was worth; a matter that it is not for me to decide."

Such a degree of detachment may be a counsel of perfection—and it was significant that Holmes usually emphasized it in connection with dissenting opinions. But much of the high prestige of the Supreme Court today may be attributed to a widespread confidence that the Justices, as a whole, have sought to adopt the attitude that Holmes so eloquently urged.

RACING TIP.

From the Louisville Times.
One long-range prediction which bids fair to be fulfilled is that the 1936 presidential derby will be on a muddy track.

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The DAILY WASHINGTON

MERRY GO ROUND

By DREW PEARSON and ROBERT S. ALLEN

WASHINGTON, March 23. THE power industry thinks it has suffered some heavy jolts from the New Deal, but it does not know what is yet in store for it.

The Federal Power Commission will soon throw a sensational floodlight on one of the most carefully guarded secrets of the utility industry—the cost of distributing electric current.

For months, FPC accountants have been digging into utility cost records in 22 typical cities. They have been under the direct charge of Vice-Chairman Basil Manly, once secretary to the elder Senator La Follette.

Results of the survey are being closely guarded, but one significant fact has become known—that there are extraordinary and inexplicable variations in distribution costs. This part of the report is so startling that it will even astonish power interests.

Some sections of the report are so hot that the commission has been in a dilemma how to handle them. In the first draft, there were severe comments on apparently padded costs. It was finally decided to tone these down and publish the report purely as a factual matter, letting the public draw its own inferences.

The report not only shows comparative distributing costs in a wide range of cities, but also compares costs in cities where the utilities have a monopoly with costs where they face competition. Only 200 out of 25,000 cities have competitive utility plants, either publicly or privately owned.

The FPC survey is the first of its kind ever made and was sponsored by Colorado's crusading Senator Cogan.

UNCLE DAN ROPER is one of the New Deal's most irrepressible diners-out. The Secretary of Commerce accepts almost every invitation.

The other day, in fact, he accepted too many invitations.

He had accepted one to be the guest of honor at the Belgian Embassy. Dinner was set for 8:30. That hour came—no guest of honor. Then 8:45, then 9, and still no Secretary Roper.

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Count Van der Straten-Ponthoz, the Ambassador, glanced nervously at his watch, twisted his sparse moustache, looked hopefully toward the door.

Finally, at 9:15, the Ambassador would stand it no longer. He telephoned Uncle Dan's home.

The Secretary of Commerce, he was informed, was dining with the Japanese Ambassador.

Outside Jobs.

WHEN the Senate lobby investigating committee disclosed that George Brobeck, bulky legislative agent for the Veterans of Foreign Wars, had received several hundred dollars from utility interests fighting the holding company bill, he was promptly fired.

The man who dismissed him was James E. Van Zandt, V. F. W. commander-in-chief, who voiced indignation at Brobeck's secret acceptance of utility money while working for the veterans.

Van Zandt himself does not confine his activities to the veterans. He has a job as special passenger agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Party Discipline.

IN the cloakrooms of the House of Representatives there is no mistaking the fact that it is election year. Members behave with the pious zeal of small boys just before Christmas.

Two bells ring. That means a roll-call vote. No member wants to be found not voting.

Suddenly the restaurant loses its customers, barbers wipe soap from half-shaven faces, members scurry by elevator and stair to get through the swinging doors in time to be counted.

At the door stands John Snyder, faithful Democratic pair clerk. As the members pass, he drones a monotonous instruction: "Democrats voting 'aye.' . . . Democrats voting 'aye.' . . . Democrats voting 'aye.'"

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Sails for Vacation in Bermuda



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which almost all have some form of association—the church, the social circle, the lodge, the labor organization, the political party, the neighboring farmers, business and commerce are almost wholly made up of groups.

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"In the community, local government, must adjust small groups for community good. In states larger groups must be co-ordinated for the greater good of all the people within the State. In the Federal Government, the problem is to adjust still greater groups in the interest of the largest group of all—one hundred and twenty-five million people in whom reposes the sovereignty of the United States of America. But it is well to remember that the individual citizen contributes most greatly to the good of this largest group only when he or she thinks in terms of the largest group. Only in this way can democracy and a Republican form of government permanently succeed."

Immediately after the exercises, the President departed by motor on an hour's ride to Titusville, where he entrained again for Fort Lauderdale. Late this afternoon in that vicinity he will set out to sea for a fishing cruise.

FUNERAL OF JOHN C. MCCOY Will Be at Mississippi City, Miss., Where He Died Yesterday.

The funeral of John C. McCoy, a jeweler here for 40 years, who died yesterday of infirmities at Mississippi City, Miss., will be held there tomorrow. Burial will also be there. Mr. McCoy was 87 years old and had been in retirement about a year.

He was first employed by the Gregg Jewelry and then established his own firm. In 1912 he founded the McCoy-Jewelry Co., which he headed until his retirement. Within recent years he made his home principally at Cero Beach, Fla. Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Lydia Wilkinson, a nephew, McCoy Wilkinson, 7533 Parkdale drive, Clayton, and two nieces, Mrs. Andrew Gray and Miss Alice Weaver.

SHAW'S GARDEN SPRING SHOW 4325 View Flowers; 3000 Visit Jewel Box in Forest Park.

The spring show of flowers at Shaw's Garden was viewed yesterday by 4325 visitors. Cinerarias, primroses and azaleas are displayed in an outdoor garden design. The show is being continued, and fresh plants from a reserve stock will be added to the display.

Approximately 3000 persons visited the flower show at the Jewel Box in Forest Park, which will be replaced in about 10 days with the annual display of Easter flowers.

Japan's Sympathy in U. S. Floods. TOKIO, March 23.—Premier Hirota today instructed Ambassador Salto in Washington to convey to the United States Government the sympathy of the Japanese Government for the disastrous floods in the United States.

WILLIAM F. McNARY SR. DIES Dealer in Antiques and Rare Books; Funeral Wednesday.

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Mr. McNary was 66 years old and had dealt in antiques about 20 years. He had stores at 4367 Olive street and later at 4248 Olive where he sold early American books and pistols. He contributed many articles to the Missouri Historical Society. Surviving are his wife; two sons, William F. McNary Jr. and James H. McNary, and a daughter, Miss Mary McNary.

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"Three Men on a Horse," the John Cecil Holm-George Abbott comedy, which ran for two weeks at the American Theater earlier in the season, returned last night for a third week's engagement, with a different cast.

The present company, which for purposes of clarity may be known as the No. 3 unit, is one which started out in Toronto last May, covered the West coast during the summer and spent the winter in the South. It seems lacking in nearly every comparison to the No. 2, or Chicago company, which was here in December, although it is still adequate to the play. The No. 1 group of players, of course, is in New York.

Chester Clute, as Erwin Trowbridge, the greeting card versifier, who becomes a genius at picking race-track winners, is a roly-poly edition of that timid soul, but has the same winning disposition that Jack Sheehan employed in the part. His barroom pals, played by Frank Otto, Edward Colebrook and Sheldon Leonard, are cast to type, too, but do not build up the tempo that the No. 2 group did. The No. 1 group of players, of course, is in New York.

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Miss Doris Newell, daughter of Dr. Quintan U. Newell, 4961 West Pine boulevard, accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. N. J. Gaston of the same address, left St. Louis Friday night to spend 10 days at Dr. Newell's summer home on Mobile Bay and to visit Southern gardens.

Miss Newell is a student at Mary Institute.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Willis, also of 126 Bemiston avenue, and their daughter, Miss Nancy Willis, also returned Saturday from a three weeks' visit in Palm Beach.

MR. ELLIS FISCHEL of "Hidden Springs Farm" will depart April 4 for New York to attend a concert April 24 at Beethoven Hall, under the auspices of the Composers' League and the Beethoven Society of New York, at which Mrs. Fischel's compositions will be given. Mrs. Fischel will accompany her son, John K. Fischel, East on his return to Harvard University from his spring vacation. He will be home the latter part of this week.

At the same concert Miss Helen Traubel of St. Louis will sing Mrs. Fischel's compositions. She is well known in musical circles and has been soloist for a St. Louis Symphony concert and for symphony concerts in other cities. Miss Traubel, who is now in New York, will take the leading role in Walter Damrosch's forthcoming opera to be presented to the Metropolitan Opera board April 9.

Others who will attend the concert at Beethoven Hall will be Mrs. Fischel's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie H. Thompson of New Haven, Conn., formerly of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. David O'Neill of Coss Cob, Conn., formerly of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Damrosch, Henry Canby, editor of

the Saturday Review, and Mrs. Canby; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spalding and Robert Simon, music critic of the New Yorker, all of New York.

Mrs. Fischel, who will visit Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spalding while in the East, will be home May 5.

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By the Associated Press.

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Unit 10 of the Eleventh Congressional District of the National Union of Social Justice will hold a public meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday at the Visitation School hall, Taylor and Evans avenues.

"The Battle of Tannenberg" will be the subject of an illustrated lecture by Maj. Clifford B. King, instructor for field artillery for the Eastern Missouri District, at a conference for officers in the St. Louis vicinity at 8 o'clock tonight at the St. Louis Medical Society Building, 3839 Lindell boulevard.

The Rev. G. A. McDonald, S. J., will speak on "Father Coughlin" in the weekly Social Order lecture series, sponsored by the Queen's Works at 8 o'clock tonight in St. Louis University Auditorium, 3642 Lindell boulevard.

The Men's Club of the Ethical Society of St. Louis will hold its monthly meeting at 8:30 p. m. tomorrow in Sheldon Memorial, 3644 Washington boulevard. "The Ethical Aspects of Business" will be discussed.

The new bathing pool and showers at Elias Michael School for Crippled Children, 4568 Forest Park boulevard, will be dedicated following an open house program at the school at 7 o'clock Friday evening. Addresses will be given by Dr. C. H. Greco, chief surgeon, Shriner's Hospital, and Mrs. Elias Michael of the Board of Education.

A moving picture showing the life of children in Government nurseries, schools and kindergartens in Russia will be shown under the auspices of the American Friends of the Soviet Union Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the Carondelet Branch Library, 6800 South Michigan avenue. Admission is free.

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STUDIO UPRIGHT, \$99
Will sacrifice for quick sale; a real bargain. ACT AT ONCE. Open evenings.
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RADIO

For Sale

Going Out of Business
Close-Outs:
Philco, Crosley and Lyric Radio; new and used; priced from \$14.95. Open evenings.
WURLITZER, 1006 OLIVE STREET

Repossessed Radios, \$4.95
Reliable Acceptance Co., 2138 E. Grand

**USED
AUTOMOBILES**

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	Price	Down
'33 Studebaker sedan, very clean	\$285.00	\$39
'34 Chevrolet master coach ———	285	39
'34 Ford sedan —————	249	39
'35 Ford sedan —————	219	79
'33 Olds coach —————	249	39
'35 Pontiac sedan —————	249	39
'35 Terraplane coach —————	465	89
'34 Ford sedan —————	245	39
'33 Chevrolet coupe —————	239	39
'35 Plymouth sedan —————	429	79
'35 Chevrolet master coupe ———	395	39
'30 Auburn sedan —————	—	\$75 cash

Average charge \$11.95 a month on \$1001 trade. KLINK, 2213 S. Grand.

Wanted

CITY MOTOR SALES

Needs 50 cars for CASH; only best cash price.

I WILL pay high cash price for your automobile. Don't sell till you see me. Mr. Jack, 3615 Page.

AUTOS Wid.—100 late models; see us before selling or making loan.
Lakeland 5910. 2819 Gravois.

ALL AUTOS bought; cash; we need them. 2213 S. Grand. Phone 3922.

AUTOS Wid.—28 to '34 models; pay cash. Miller, 2631 N. First. PR. 8106.

CARS Wid.—Bring title, get cash. Out Motor, 2620 S. Kingshighway. FI. 0580.

For Hire

TRUCKS RENTED

GARFIELD 3131, 15TH AND DELMAR.

Cabriolets For Sale

PLYMOUTH—1933; sacrifice immediately! no financing necessary. 5850 Marlin.

Coaches For Sale

CHEVROLET—Coach, late 1932; new tires, new battery, first-class condition; \$1250. 5622 Enright. Apt. 304.

FORD—Late 1935 de luxe coach; perfect condition; 8000 miles; sacrifice; \$425; private party. 5622 Enright. Apt. 104.

Sedans For Sale

'29 Reno, \$95
Sedan, light 6; lots of transportation; Reno 1930 sedan 6; a safe, sure buy; \$1952.
Reno 1931 sedan, recently overhauled; \$2525; trade, terms. MERRY-KRAUS, 5310 Washington, Reno distributors.

LaSalle 7 passenger sedan; 5 nearly new tires; clean upholstery; motor in 1st class condition. Good make, \$2850. Terms if needed. HARDING MOTOR CO., 622 St. Louis Ave., E. St. Louis. Ill.

Trucks For Sale

FORD—Panel truck, Model A; also national cash register and poultry equipment. EO. 1612.

TRACTORS

TRACTOR Wid.—2½ or 3 ton; with sleeper cabs to pull 20-ft. Herman Pioneer on steady run on shares. Eighth Street Service Station, 906 S. 8th.

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July wheat fell to within 1/4 cent of the crop's low point. Barometric lines were said to indicate the best outlook yet for moisture where most needed by domestic winter wheat crops.

Wheat closed weak, May 97 1/4¢, July 86 1/4¢, Sept. 84 1/4¢, all down 1/4¢. Corn, 94 1/4¢, down 1/4¢. Oats, unchanged to 1/4¢ off, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 7 cents.

Setbacks from slight initial gains carried wheat values down today to below Saturday's finish.

Increased selling developed on price upturn, and there was no aggressive support from specialists.

The main influence, with sellers basing action on apparent likelihood that moisture rain or snow would soon alleviate unfavorable crop conditions in the hard winter belt.

Views from that region were rather noncommittal, a typical report being that it was "impossible" to determine what the degree of abandonment would be, as the outcome depended largely on moisture supplies.

Bears emphasized Kansas and Nebraska forecasts of snow and rain tonight. Downward of wheat prices were only fractional.

A decrease of the amount on ocean passage for importing countries was noted, together with word that the total wheat effort for Europe was below requirements.

Corn and oats were unchanged, but the Argentine Government had raised the minimum price for corn 5 cents a bushel.

Provisions reflected an advance of hog values. Wheat futures purchased Saturday totaled 12,527,000 bushels, against 12,535,000 bushels in corn 25,620,000.

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, March 23.—Wheat futures closed down 1/4 to 1/2¢ on rain prospects while corn lost 1/4 to 1/2¢.

Winnipeg wheat opened 1/4¢ higher and early was 1/4¢ off. The close was 1/4¢ higher.

Liverpool wheat opened 1/4¢ higher and in a later cable was 1/4¢ higher.

St. Louis Cash Grain Market. 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One Contented Bird.
Dream Books, Incense.
Cruel Easter Presents.
Beware of Cat Sparks.

By ARTHUR BRISBANE.

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SOLEMN, deliberate pelican has adopted for his special hunting ground a section of Bayne Bay, including the shore front owned by this writer.

That pelican's easy life might make an overworked American wish he had been born a bird. The pelican, wide and short, built like a tugboat, has a squat body covered with dull yellowish gray feathers, a long gray neck, pure white head, a powerful dark yellow beak about one foot long, below which hangs the large pouch, convenient to hold surplus fish when more are caught than can be conveniently swallowed at the time.

You study true happiness and freedom, watching that bird. All Bayne Bay, the sky above, the waters and fish beneath, belong to him. Occasionally he rises laboriously, with much disturbance of the water, and flaps slowly along near the surface, uttering a constant feeble "peep-peep," much too small for his size and his beak. Next he flops into the water, disappears, and comes up, almost invariably swallowing a fish. He registers no triumph or exultation.

Fish are there, and he was made to swallow them. He pauses, for a rapid assimilation. Back and forth, flopping and diving, devouring fish in numbers incredible, he sees them swimming below him in the shallow clear water, selects the right size and kind, disdaining the too small, ignoring the too big. With sunset and twilight, your pelican, congratulating himself on a good day's work, rises slowly, much higher this time, and flaps away out of sight, to the secret place where he sleeps. The rising sun finds him back on his happy hunting ground.

Never say that no other living creature lives, as happy, as free from care, worry or work. There is another bird, another "biped" called the "practical politician," who leads as happy and care-free a life as that of any pelican. Taxpayers are his "fish," big cities with their business and industry are his Bayne Bay.

Two happy birds with good appetites, pelican and politician. Why were they created?

You travel back into the night of time and superstition, reading of police raiding "the bolita racket" in Miami's Negro quarter. With that racket, a game of numbers, police say, a gang of white racketeers takes \$20,000 a week from Miami's Negro population, keeping thousands poor. Such racketeering occurs everywhere. Racketeers divide generously with those who might interfere with them.

With sales of "bolita" and Cuban lottery tickets, police seized many "dream books" and most interesting quantities of "lucky incense." Dream books tell the Negro student what his dream means, and how to bet. "Lucky incense," its perfume smoke curling upward, is supposed to insure successful gambling. All that goes back far into the past and into the jungle. Dreams impressed human beings before speech was perfected. Wise men tell you that man's first idea of immortality came from dreams of the early savage. He saw his dead father or brother alive, hunting; so thought he, there must be life after death, and a place for the dead to hunt.

Do not give "living toys" to your children for Easter presents. Many parents and friends thoughtlessly give their children helpless living creatures, easily hurt, live chicks, or newly hatched ducklings.

The helpless creatures are roughly treated, mutilated, fortunate if they happen to be promptly killed by children that know no better. At Easter the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals receives innumerable calls to care for broken legs, injured heads and other small animals. Such gifts, breeding cruelty, have a bad influence on children, should be forbidden by law and by the common sense of parents.

Someone says "be careful how you stroke a pet cat near gasoline. Stroking pet cats develops electric sparks that may set fire to the gasoline." Does Dr. Ditmars of the big zoo in New York know anything about that? Is there enough real fire in the spark from a cat's back to be dangerous?

The learned Ditmars says it is not true that the viper serpent which bears its young alive, opens its mouth and swallows them temporarily, for their protection, in time of danger. Dozens of reputable readers write to say they have seen the thing happen.

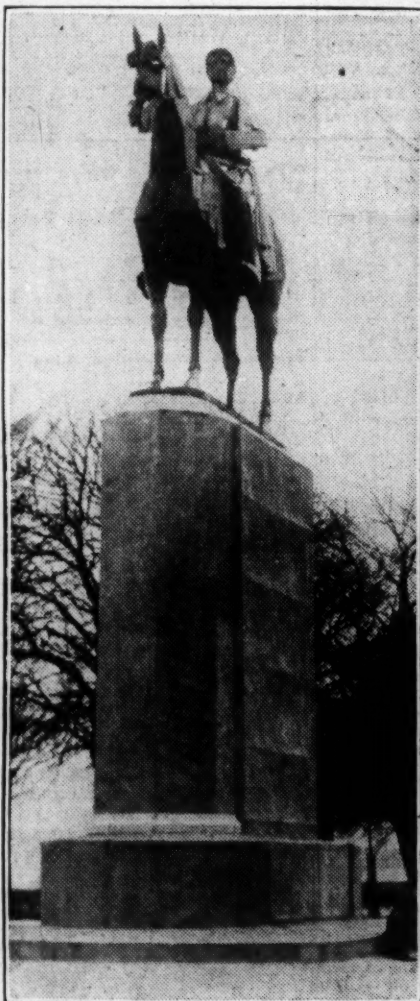
Has any reader seen a cat's spark set fire to gasoline?

CHAPLIN IN TOKIO



The American motion picture comedian and Paulette Goddard at the Kabuki Theater.

WOODEN STATUE



A wooden statue of the late King Albert of Belgium, erected in Paris to see if the permanent bronze memorial would fit into the surroundings.

QUIT CONVENT TO WED



Natalie Carr, New York heiress, and her husband, Walter Burke Coll. She left a convent where she was about to become a nun to be married.

ITALIAN TROOPS CAPTURE AN ETHIOPIAN VILLAGE



Bombs are rained on the enemy territory from Italian planes.

MISPLACED WATER POWER



Water gushes from the windows on the lower floor of a factory at Worcester, Mass., giving the appearance of a power sluice gate, as the region was flooded by swollen streams.

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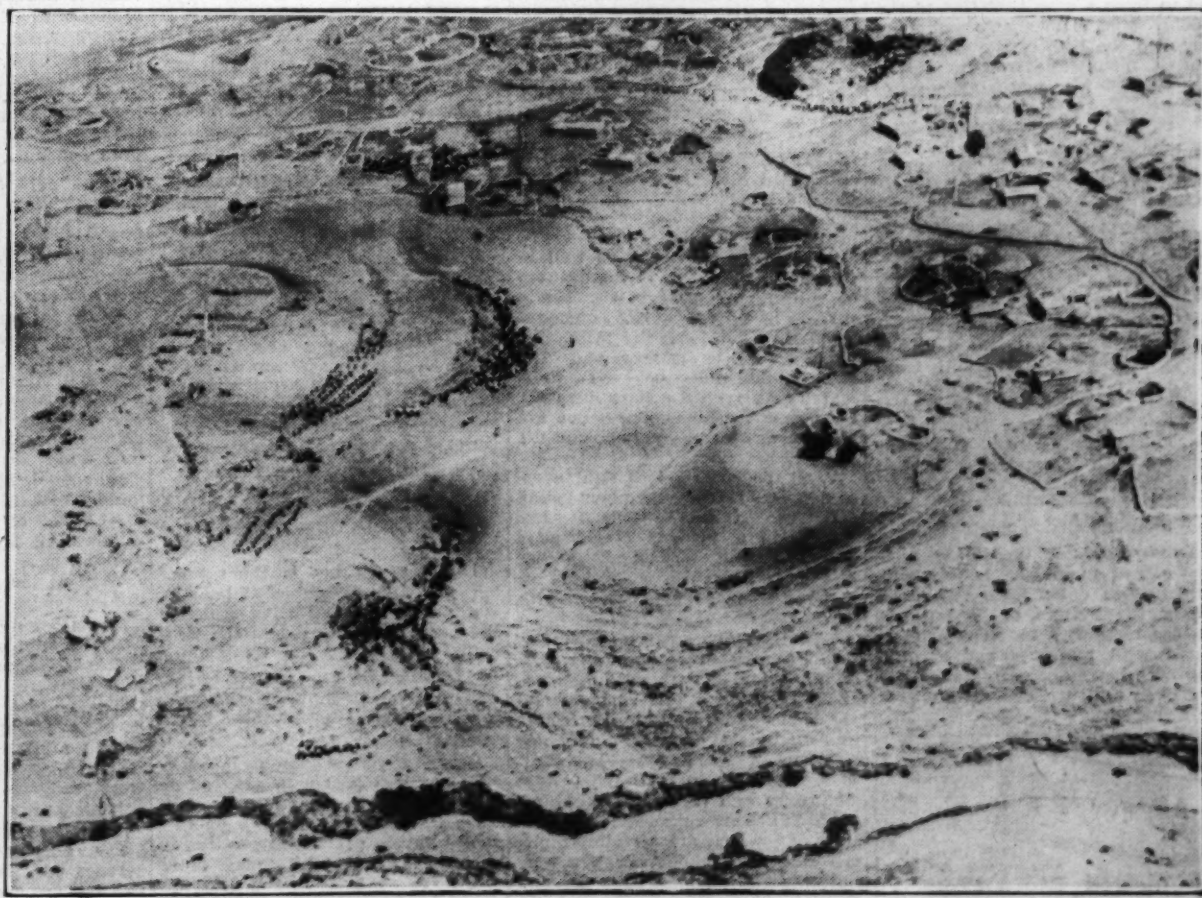


Miss Helen Montague of Webster Groves, who is the second girl to ever hold the office of Student President of the University of Missouri School of Journalism.

CONVERSATION IN UNIFORM



Prince Ernst von Starhemberg, Vice-Chancellor of Austria (right), and Baron Aloisi, Foreign Minister of Italy (left), meet in Rome.



The Italians close in from all sides and take the town which was in the Amba Aradam foothills.

THE MARCH OF FASHION

By Sylvia Stiles

THE preference of college girls in formal attire for spring was illustrated at the Norwood Country Club last Thursday night when Washington University students appeared to see the crowning of the new Hatchet Queen. The occasion was the annual Junior Prom, an event timed so that it serves to introduce new fashions as well as new college honors.

The lucky girl and the four who came very near to attaining the title and thus served as maids to the queen were most in the fashion limelight, the gowns which they chose being of dominant style significance. Miss Margaret Rosier, who was chosen queen, wore a striking and unusual color combination of gray and coral. The fabric of her dress was chiffon, the gray shade being used for the skirt and bodice while the coral tint formed the decorations. Wide folds of the coral material circled the armholes and outlined the low back V of the décolletage. These stripes were shirred at the waistline at the back, then looped up to form a bustle effect. The ends widened and extended to the floor, thus giving a wide drape at the back of the costume. A narrow belt circled the waistline at the front and went under the shirring at the back. Coral colored slippers were chosen to complete this ensemble.

Miss Catherine Bull appeared in a chiffon frock of ashes of roses tint that also illustrated the trend toward unusual shades. It was designed with a V-necked bodice that was cut quite low at the back. The neckline was shirred to give a soft, draped linen and finished with a ruffle. Flowers combining shades of dark and light rose and robin's egg blue were placed on the front of the bodice. The skirt was bias, and introduced back fullness provided by godets. These godets widened and formed a train. A narrow ribbon sash fastened at the back with long streamers.

Miss Jane Elizabeth Morgens also endorsed the vogue of rose hues by wearing a shell pink frock of tulle which was quite youthful in its style and also unusually chic. It had a pink tulle foundation. Bows of light blue grosgrain ribbon were scattered over the skirt, each one being finished at the center with a tiny pink rosebud. The bodice was cut to a semi-low V at the front and to a waistline V at the back. Bouffant sleeves were short and gave an animation to the costume. There was shirring on top of the shoulders where more of the blue bowknots were placed. A sash of the blue grosgrain was tied with bow and had streamers reaching almost to the floor. Miss Morgens completed her ensemble with silver sandals.

A bright colored printed crepe frock combining Tahitian designs in their most vivid interpretation was worn by Miss Jane Sheehan. Her frock was designed with a square neckline which was quite low at the back. The shoulders were covered with cape which extended to points over the arms. The skirt was cut on the bias so that it was quite full at the hemline and fell in graceful folds as it touched the floor. Rosettes formed of bright blue velvet ribbon were placed at either side of the front of the neckline and the same shade of blue velvet was combined with red to form a sash that tied at the side. Miss Sheehan's slippers matched the blue of the ribbon.

Pink mouselines over a slip of matching pink tulle and pink tulle were most flattering to Miss Virginia de Haven. This dress was shirred from the top of the shoulders to the knees, where the fullness was released to give a very bouffant hemline. The neckline was a square both front and back. A large corsage of violets was effective in contrast to the delicate pink of the dress. Sandals were silver colored.

Escalloped Tomatoes Drain some of the liquor from one can of tomatoes. Season with salt, pepper, onion juice and sugar. Cover the bottom of a buttered baking dish with buttered crumbs. Cover with tomatoes and sprinkle with more crumbs. Bake in a hot oven until the crumbs are nicely browned.

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IN THE BIG VILLAGE

By Roland Coe



"Maybe the gentleman would like to step into the kitchen and show us how he'd make a stew!"

Spring Notes On Masculine Urban Attire

By Esquire

WHEN spring comes to the city, one of the first signs visible is the change in the masculine wardrobe. Robins and crocils may serve to indicate the arrival of warmer weather for country folk, but in the city it is the new necktie and the flowers in the buttonholes that herald the spring.

One of the smartest innovations is the polychromatic striped suit. This suit has a solid background of one of a herringbone pattern. One style has a solid background and carries stripes of red and white on a brown background. Polychromatic stripes are a pronounced variation from the ordinary chalk or pencil stripes and provide an additional bit of color.

With the polychromatic striped suit may be worn a brown Homburg hat. The Homburg hat got its original impetus among the young gentlemen of the British Foreign Office, who wore them constantly. The Foreign Office young men were addicted to the black Homburg and while these are very smart indeed and quite suitable for wear with either a business suit or dinner jacket, the brown Homburgs or the gray ones also make a desirable combination with suits of those colors.

The bold hound's tooth checked necktie is also a new trend. While checks are not as prominent as stripes in this season's suitings, they have one of the most important positions in neckwear. Especially smart with this type of tie is the solid color shirt and white starched collar.

As spring days are notoriously uncertain, the umbrella is practical as well as good-looking. When carefully rolled it makes an attractive accessory and its utilitarian advantages are well known.

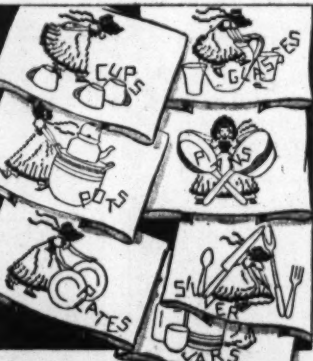
The new short covert cloth topcoat in the knee-length model is popular this season. Notice the four rows of stitching on each cuff and at the hem. The fly front and notched lapels look extremely well and the slant pockets, both side and breast, have large flaps.

The bowler hat looks as well in the spring as it does in the autumn or winter. A smart bowler has a slightly belled crown, i. e., one that comes in as it joins the brim. The band should be narrow and the brim should not be too wide. Matching starched collars have not been seen for some years, but are again making an appearance on the well-dressed man.

With the covert cloth light overcoat a bold Glen Urquhart plaid suit goes extremely well. It has long been a favorite combination among well dressed men. Either brown calf, brown buckskin or black calf shoes are correct with this ensemble.

Certainly the smartest daytime outfit a man can wear these days is the cutaway coat. Although until quite recently this coat was reserved for weddings, church ushers and dignitaries of state, it has now achieved a more general acceptance. The cutaway of today does not carry and braid and, although braid is not altogether incorrect, the lines of the coat are certainly much the smarter without it. The one-button peak lapel model is possibly the smartest interpretation of the cutaway available. With this is

Kitchen Towels



KITCHEN TOWELS

WELL wagger this poke-bonnet Miss gets kitchen chores done in double-quick time, for she's possessed of vim and vigor rarely seen in that particular part of the house. Pots, pans, dishes and silverware fairly fly back into place when she's handling them, and the one who embroiders these seven spirited motifs on tea towels will enjoy having this for pickup work. Outline and cross stitch are mainly used.

Pattern 1125 comes to you with seven motifs averaging 5 1/2 x 7 1/2 inches; material requirements; illustrations of all stitches needed; color suggestions.

Send 10 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) for this pattern to St. Louis Post-Dispatch, Needlecraft Dept., 82 Eighth Avenue, New York, N. Y.

Character of Child Helped By Education

By Angelo Patri

EDUCATION is a preparation for life. If we knew what pattern life was to follow for the next quarter of a century we could be educated better. That is like the teacher who said to the principal of the school, "If you will come upstairs and make those children behave, I'll teach them something."

Life has never been plotted for any generation. It has never been easy for anybody. Uncertainty is the essence of all life. There is no need to bewail the quality of our day and the lack of information about the life that is ahead of our youth. We never had any information about any period of life. All we could do was to guess. If we based our guess on past experiences we came nearer solving the problem to our satisfaction than if we based the guess on our own wishes. In the first scheme we managed to be right to some degree, in the second, we failed to a great degree.

What are we to do to prepare the school children for the life that is ahead of them? Teach them to be worthy characters, and by that I mean worthy on the basis of accepted standards of character. Teach them to be honest, first. Teach them to be thorough, to do whatever they do with style and finish. Teach them to work. Teach them to hope, to have faith in the goodness of man.

Schools are poorly equipped for the liberal yet individual education the coming generation must have. There are few schools in the country that have a flexible program, a flexible school day, an adjustable time schedule. True we need all this and we need the equipment that permits it—the new building, generously supplied with all the materials needed and manned by intelligent well-trained teachers.

We cannot hope to have all that, not for many years to come, but we can do our best to accomplish the main aims of the school with the equipment we have. It is not so much the changes in the educational scheme that we need today as the vision of the education these children need. Without that vision no amount of money can buy the right school. The real thing is above material limitations. It is the spiritual vision of the classroom teacher that will furnish the right preparation.

Without character the individual is ill-prepared for living in any era. Character building can go on with the simplest of means, provided there is leadership. If this were not so there would be no educational leaders today demanding a better preparation for the children coming after them.

Give us what we need for this work, fully and freely and we will achieve our purposes sooner. But with or without, the schools will carry on until the community catches up. We need character in the next generation more than anything else.

Suggestions For Baking of Perfect Cakes

Exact Measurement Most Important — Also Time and Temperature.

By Marguerite Pierce

THE same characteristics for perfection apply to both layer and loaf cakes. The cakes should be uniformly golden brown on all surfaces. The texture should exhibit smoothness and a full-grained composition throughout. Moistness is an essential, but the cake must not be sticky. And for the sake of appearance, beware of a peak in the center or even the tiniest crack in an otherwise perfect crust.

Let's take a plain cake recipe and follow its use from the very first measuring spoon to the grand appearance on your family table. Before you begin to mix your cake, prepare the baking pans. Grease them lightly with melted shortening, using a pastry brush or paper. If you're one of those unlucky persons whose cakes always stick to the pan, try one of these remedies. Either cut wax paper to fit the sides and bottom of the pan and place it in position after greasing—or dredge the pan with a light coating of flour, also after greasing.

Warning number one—always measure carefully! Use a rounded bowl and a wooden spoon—or mechanical mixer. The recipe reads: Cream one-half cup of shortening. Use butter or other fat. Work it until very soft and smooth. Gradually blend in one cup of granulated sugar until mixture is well combined. Beat two eggs until yolks and whites are blended. Stir them into the shortening and sugar.

In a mechanical mixer, simply break the eggs into the shortening and sugar. Beat this part of mixture until it is smooth and light and fluffy. The mechanical mixer is "top" in this process. It does the work for you with no tired, aching arms and consequent lessening of interest.

Now measure one and three-fourths cups of cake flour; add three teaspoons baking powder and one-fourth teaspoon salt. Sift these together, then measure out one-half cup milk. Add these two (the dry ingredients and the liquid) to the first mixture in alternate succession. Do not beat the mixture too much at this stage. Stir in these last ingredients thoroughly but very lightly and carefully until the batter is just blended. Flavor with one teaspoon vanilla. Four quickly into your pans, filling them two-thirds full.

Then, with a spatula, spread the batter from the center of pan out toward the edges, leaving a slight depression in the center. Just in case there is some delay about putting your cake in the oven immediately, place it in the refrigerator until baking time. Never allow it to stand at room temperature, as even this slight warmth makes the leavening agent (baking powder in this case) begin to work.

Place the cake in an oven which has been heated to the desired temperature. If your oven is large enough to hold both layers on one shelf, place one back in one corner and the other in front in the opposite corner. Allow space around the pans for circulation of heat and air. The cake may be successfully

COOK-COOS

By TED COOK

THEN IT WILL BE LIKE THIS!

"An extrovert, who indulges in emotional and intellectual outpouring, should marry an introvert who is inclined toward an exactly opposite tendency."—Faulkner's Essay on Companionship.

How happy we shall be. She, hooray! is an extrovert—She likes to bubble, buzz and blurt, Assert Herself. While I...oh, me! oh, my!... I am ingrown, I am shy; A sort of weak, but silent guy—I sigh Constantly.

Through the years she'll rant and rave, I the rock, and she the wave, She the master, I the slave. I'll save My breath. But, within, I'll boil and bubble, All snarled up in secret trouble, A ploughed-up soul reduced to rubble, Stubble.

LAMAR'S WINCHELL

(Lamar, Mo., Democrat.)

"... Mrs. George Jamison enjoying a bowl of chili. ... Mrs. Preach Haddock taking some butter rolls home. ... Lew Arnold with a bag of 'kisses' ... Goin' to feed 'em to Lew? ... E. T. Witty with a slice of apple and an ice cream cone at the same time. ... Theresa Dumolt hot-footing the pavement toward the square. ... Mrs. Von Wattenbarger gets down to work at eight-forty. ... Miss Lorene Isenbarger saw her Uncle Dudley Tuesday night. ... Erwin Morelli got his truck stuck in the mud. ..."

"Leadership has its penalties," sighs Genevieve, the kitchen cynic, "and all too often they're inflicted on those in the rear."

Q. AND A DEPARTMENT

Dear Auntie: I see where some association of people that are always doing things like that have told girls how to dress for \$1.50 a week. I bet you couldn't tell girls how to dress for \$1.50 a week. Ans.—\$1.50 a week! Why, my dear child, I'm afraid it would hardly be worth Auntie B's while. —A. ("Union Scale") Bella.

baked in a smaller oven if one layer is placed on the upper shelf directly over the second pan on the lower shelf. Place a loaf cake in the center of the lower shelf. Pay strict attention to time and temperature, for they are "part and parcel" of the success or failure of the cake. Loaf cakes are usually baked in a moderate oven (350 degrees) from 40 to 60 minutes or longer, depending on the size and type of the cake. Layer cakes, be-

Spring Color Gray continues an outstanding color favorite in silk and ensemble costumes for spring and Easter wear. It is featured in silks, in woolsens and sheer fabrics with crisp white accents or touches of bright color for trimming contrast.

Social Usage According to Best Practice

By Emily Post

Dear Mrs. Post: Is it improper for women guests to leave on evening wraps at an evening church wedding? A friend believes that it would be better to remove them before being ushered to one's place.

Answer: It is in much better taste—at least so it seems to me—to leave wraps on. After all, a church ought not to look as though it were a ballroom. But then, I am writing as an Episcopalian who was brought up under the rule that no woman may ever enter a church with head uncovered. The real covered. The real covered depends. I think upon the observance permitted by each particular clergyman and approved by his congregation.

Dear Mrs. Post: My parents live in another state and it will be impossible for them to be present at my wedding, which will take place at the house of my married brother with whom I live. His name is the same as my father's; he should write it with a "junior" but since they live far apart he doesn't use the Jr. Do you think the announcement should be engraved in my brother's and sister-in-law's name as announcing "their sister's" marriage rather than to have this same name announce "their daughter's" marriage. Some people here might not understand, since they know my brother by the same name.

Answer: If they are sent out in the name of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith to announce the marriage of their sister, they will declare that your mother and father are dead. And if they are worded "their daughter," that will be very confusing unless they are mailed from far away. It would obviously be better that your brother and sister-in-law have their names correctly engraved on this occasion, and announce "their sister's marriage," even though he chooses to omit the junior after he marries.

Dear Mrs. Post: My brother has received an invitation to an evening reception in honor of a notable. The card has R. S. V. P. on it. How shall I go about answering, since my brother is in Europe and the hostess is a stranger to me?

Answer: Write on a sheet of note paper:

Mr. John Jones regrets that absence prevents his accepting

Mrs. Style's kind invitation for the tenth of March

(Copyright, 1936.)

Scalloped the potatoes with tomatoes, green peppers and cheese.

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KOSTO AT YOUR GROCERIES



Inhibitions.

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(While I retire to the attic—Erratic Mystery.)

When we're bent and broken, old, She'll be happy—she can scold, I will merely sit and fold My old Garbled hands.

Little Willie—just a rat— Said, "Mother, watch me skin the cat!"

"By all means do," said she; "your Babbitt

"Pa will think we're serving rabbit!"

—Kenneth Earle Bursell.

A prize in every package.

"A woman's heart may be in the right place," says the Rt. Rev. Wiley, "but her mind seldom is, especially in a bridge game."

And daisies don't need much finesse. If pretty when they're in distress.

FAMOUS LAST WORDS

Well, I figured it would sort of broaden my experience of life, baby.

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IF YOU ASK MY OPINION

By Martha Carr

My Dear Mrs. Carr:
MAYBE you will think me foolish for writing this letter and also too old for my years. I am 14 years old. About a year and a half ago, my chum and playmate was killed by an automobile. At first I didn't miss him so much because I was too surprised and shocked. I couldn't believe that the boy who had been my playmate for so many years was really dead. But now, it seems that each day I miss him more. I miss that familiar whistle every morning and other things that he did. He had played dolls with me and I played cops and robbers with him when we were little.

Now when I go to parties I find myself thinking of him. I have met other boys, but none of them are like Jerry; they all try to act too old for their ages. If we had been separated for a little while, Jerry kissed me, but both our handles were there and we did this because we loved each other and not just to be smart.

Mrs. Carr, I would like to know if that was just a childhood love that will die in a little while? We were too young to think of such a thing as marriage. How can I try to do something so I won't miss him so? I've tried meeting new people. Do you think I should by self-control try to forget or shall I just let myself think about him as much as I can until I grow out of it? Will I always think of that playmate so far away?

LITTLE GIRL.
You are a serious-minded little girl, too serious for your years, perhaps. And you must not expect to forget but you can have happiness in the memory of a cherished friendship. You can be glad that you were enriched by this experience and it can give you faith in fine friendships.

You could not of course banish all thought of this friend, even with the utmost self-control; and you need not try to do this. But you must not give yourself up to grieving about the loss of his presence; he has given you ideals of a higher order I am sure, and you can be happy in that. But you must live, not only for yourself, but for others about you. It is not impossible that you may find a comrade and perhaps a lover, who though not a replica, will be to you, living happiness and peace and comfort.

To grow morbid over an experience we have had is to unfit ourselves for our obligations and the enjoyment which is the due of everyone. Go about your life and live it vitally and happily. The boy wouldn't have had you do otherwise.

My dear Mrs. Carr:
I HAVE just read the letter of "Good Baritone" in your column. We need some good men singers in our choir badly and we would welcome "Good Baritone" gladly. We have rehearsals on Thursday evenings and the church is St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, 14 Varona and Lackland avenues, Overland.

A READER.

My Dear Mrs. Carr:
COULD you give me the address of several reliable employment agencies in Los Angeles, Cal.? What is the name of the studio in Hollywood which accepts photographs and keeps them on file, in case of screen possibilities? How would you suggest making new acquaintances in Los Angeles, as I am planning on going there soon.

TOOTS.

Write the Chamber of Commerce and Better Business Bureau for addresses of employment agencies in Los Angeles.

I do not know of any studio which keeps photographs on file, though I think it possible that several of them do. If you will watch the advertising and press notices of moving picture shows, you will get the names of Hollywood studios.

If you are a stranger, the best way to make social contacts in a new place is through your church or some of the social agencies.

Dear Mrs. Carr:
I WAS very glad indeed to receive your letter of March 6, giving me two names and addresses of persons who wanted cats. Will say that I have given these people the kittens, and they were very much pleased to receive them, and I am satisfied the kittens have excellent homes. For all of this we have you to thank, Mrs. Carr. HETTY B.

Dear Mrs. Carr:
AM to be married at an informal wedding in a Catholic church at 9 in the morning. Would it be all right to send my numerous friends written invitations to attend the wedding at the church, as there will be no reception afterwards?

C. L. J.

You can send engraved invitations to the wedding ceremony, asking them to the church. But you could, also, write little personal notes or cards asking them. If there are not too many you could even telephone.

Letters intended for this column must be addressed to Martha Carr at the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. Mrs. Carr will answer all questions of general interest but, of course, cannot give advice on matters of a purely legal or medical nature. Those who do not care to have their letters published may enclose an address and stamped envelope for personal reply.

Headwear Old-fashioned garden flowers, violets and rock garden treatments are cleverly used to make the new spring hats charmingly different. Trimmings of grain and other novel notes and lace edging lends a smart variation on some models.



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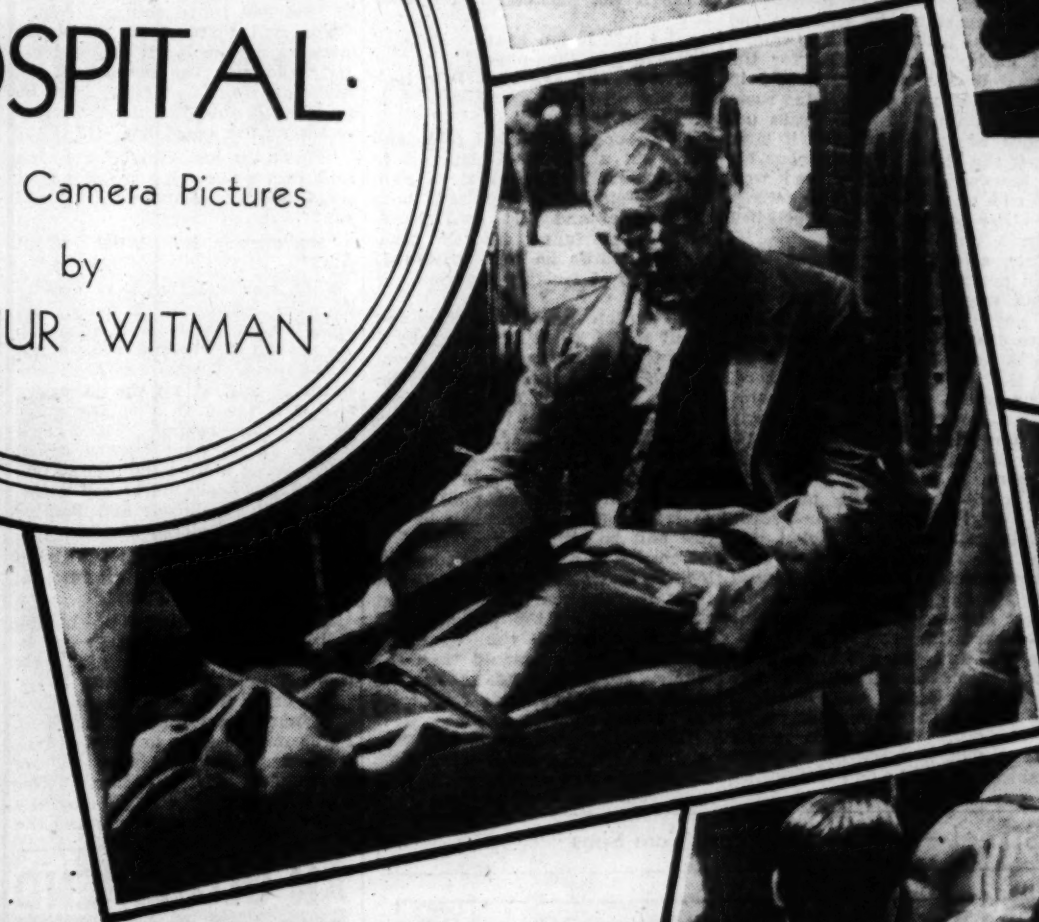
FOOD AND CHATTER . . . the nurses dine.

CITY HOSPITAL

Candid Camera Pictures
by
ARTHUR WITMAN



Top, a young patient enjoys lunch. Below, "Send the wagon."



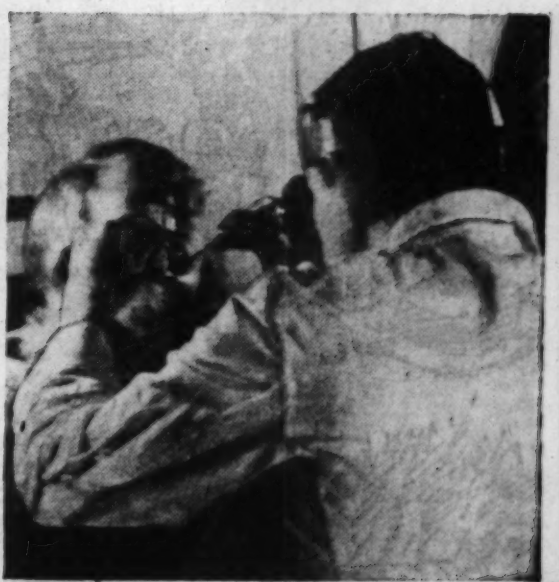
Patients arrive at the receiving room (top, left and below.)



Left, an anxious mother and her children in the waiting room. Right, "Say, ah, please."



"It happened like this . . ."



A DOCTOR TALKS OF HEALTH

By Logan Clendening, M. D.

MY NEWSPAPER for Feb. 14 carried the story of the birth of a daughter to the former Infanta Beatriz, daughter of the King and Queen of Spain. My newspaper for Feb. 15 carried an account of the illness of the Count of Covadonga, who is dying of the hereditary disease of hemophilia. He is the brother of the Crown Prince who has just become a mother.

It is impossible for any civilized man to regard these events with a placid eye.

There is no speculation about it, no doubt, no place where science is possibly incomplete in its knowledge. We know perfectly well that the disease, hemophilia, is hereditary; transmitted by mothers to sons. It seems little less than criminal that people who are as intelligent and well informed as the Infanta Beatriz and her husband should allow themselves to marry and bring into the world another tragedy to their children and grandchildren. For just as sure as fate, if the little baby girl who has just been born, grows up, is married, and has a son, that son will die the tragic death that the Count of Covadonga is dying in Havana.

Everybody is sympathetic and sweet tempered toward the new mother. Who is going to comfort her when she sees her grandson dying an inevitable and terrible death, which can be laid directly at her door? How is the world ever to become civilized if such things are allowed to be carried on?

Notes by Notables.

"The causes of overeating are many and various. They include: The generous father. The fond mother. The genial host. The good cook. The persuasive grocer. The attentive waiter. The business luncheon. The public banquet. The idle life."

—Clarence W. Lieb.

"When food is to be taken, it is never proper to overload; but too great abstinence is often harmful." —Celsus.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Six pamphlets by Dr. Clendening can now be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin, for each, and a self-addressed envelope stamped with a 3-cent stamp, to Dr. Logan Clendening, in care of this paper. The pamphlets are: "Indigestion and Constipation," "Reducing and Gaining," "Infant Feeding," "Instructions for the Treatment of Diabetes," "Feminine Hygiene," and "The Care of the Hair and Skin."

Kidney and Oyster Pie

Parboil and slice four lambs' kidneys. Add one pint oysters and juice, two tablespoons butter and salt and pepper to taste. Cook until oysters curl. Put into a baking dish, thicken the juice with a little flour dissolved in water, put crust over the top and bake for 25 minutes. Serve piping hot.

TRAPPED by LOVE

Fenwick Carries Through His Designs Against Nolan Who Fails to See Through His Designs.

CHAPTER THIRTY-ONE.

FENWICK put another log on the fire which was dying, and under the log a few sticks of kindling from the box in the wall to make it burn up brightly. From the fire he went into his bedroom for the purchase he had made that afternoon on the way back from lunch.

He found it in its box, and took it out. An alarm clock. With his own wrist watch, he set the clock carefully, and then turned the clock on its back and set the alarm. At first he put it at 12:05, then decided to make it 10 minutes later which would be better. The clock had a soft alarm—for he had made the clerk in the drug store set it for him and make it ring. Buried in pillows it would sound exactly like the dull buzz his front door bell made.

When the clock was set, he took it into the lobby and put it under the damask cushions of the love seat which faced the door. From the lobby he went back to the steps that led into the library, and pulled over the old brazier until it was directly at the right of the stairs.

Nolan would fall down the stairs, and his head would strike somewhere near the brazier, if Fenwick figured correctly. He thought he did. Feeling in his pocket he found the lead paper weight which he had taken from his office. It was wrapped in a handkerchief and ready—for Nolan when he was sprawling out at the bottom of the steps, his head near the brazier.

The lead weight was going out the window, too, but it would go much farther than the shoe box. There was nothing to distinguish this, either, and it would not be missed at his office desk because he had three others. The handkerchief which wasn't his, but was Nolan's, was going down the plumb line in the bathroom of the library. He couldn't risk burning that.

Next, Fenwick went to the living room window and took down the cord that fastened back one of the drapes. Carrying it back to the library stairs, he tied one end of it on the little grilled iron railing that made a balustrade for the stairs. It was dull green and in the dim light both in the living room and the library it would pass unnoticed when he stretched it later across the stairs. For the time being, however, he left it where it was, one end of it tied to the railing, the other resting on the polished floor.

This, also, had to be put back when everything was finished and Nolan was dead. He mustn't forget anything. The paper to be taken from Nolan. The shoe box, the packets, the real money back into the safe, the portiere cord. He counted them off on his fingers. And the clock. He nearly had forgotten that. The clock. That had to be carried back to his bedroom.

At most he thought he could find everything finished and ready in four minutes after Nolan was dead. He would call the desk downstairs immediately, of course, and by the time the manager roused the doctor and arrived—he could have things in order.

By the time the police got there—they would come, too—the fire would have burned up everything that needed to be burned. Accidental death, the records would term it. The slippery floor—Nolan crashing his head and breaking his

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Selection in Life as Well As Reading

By The Rev. J. F. Newton

"WHAT are all these new books?" one friend asked another, as he browsed through the titles of a shelf-full of books. "Oh, they are books I have reviewed and mean to read some day."

No doubt he had been asked to send 50 words on such and such a book, or even 200. He did not read every word carefully, but just enough to catch the drift and direction, as a man of science may test the water of a lake by analyzing a single cup-full.

Some people never skip. They read every word of every book, whether it is worth it or not. But that is a waste of time and strength. Most books are like a desert with oases here and there.

Of course, a work of inspired imagination—a great poem or play or story—is all of a piece. Each word has a place in the pattern, like a note in a melody, and one cannot, dare not, skip.

But masterpieces are rare, and the knack of sensing the distinctive thing in a book, quickly by intuition, saves time and labor; one gets what the author really has to say, and leaves the rest.

Just so it is with the Book of Life, too. Some of its pages are dull prose, with now and then a passage of shining poetry. Why pour over the prose, if we have learned the knack of skipping?

Yet some folk read every word of every page, however dry and dusty it may be. They do not select. They seem not to be able to seize the significant truth and beauty, letting the rest go by.

They are tedious people and tire us out—like the man who tells a story in such detail that the point is blunted and lost. If only they

Wet Days Rainwear is so highly styled this season that it is actually a pleasure to wear—the heavy bulkiness has been eliminated, with rubberized broadcloth, crepe de chine, seersucker and synthetic fabrics making up some of the smartest "light weight" models.

TOMORROW'S HOROSCOPE

by WYNN

For Tuesday, March 24.

MAKE note of early A. M. hunches—if they still look good from a little later distance, stick to 'em, especially if the pocketbook is involved. Keep eye alert for possibility of beneficial changes around noon hour; grasp 'em.

Thinking is Difficult. Man does just about everything possible to avoid thinking. He is far more willing to die than he is to think—it is often only when he is forced by conditions that he gets around to actually using his rational processes. Thinking would prevent wars; thinking would make politicians honest; it would clean up crime. But men are lazy; it's easier to swing a battle ax than an idea.

Your Year Ahead. Your year ahead can mean financial, occupational, and personal profit if you go after it justly. Be active and alert. See new money openings, possibly involving friendship. Danger: June 23-Aug. 5; and Nov. 6 to Jan. 7.

Wednesday. Good for relations with women and with their interests. (Copyright, 1936.)

When the bar of toilet soap becomes thin, break it in half and put it in the kitchen soap shaker. Then you have a pleasant suds for dishwashing.

know how to skip, how to untangle the truth of life! Some experiences, to be sure, cannot be skipped; we must read every line and letter. They are so deep, so rich, so rewarding, and skipping would be blasphemy. We would miss much precious treasure.

But much of the time we need to know how to skip, as with the seven-leaved boots of the fairy story, or life will swamp us. (Copyright, 1936.)

The Settlement Of Puddle Muddle Very Peaceful

By Mary Graham Bonner

THE little man, Willy Nilly, was once more going to do all his chores. When they were finished he would attend to his sticking-out pointed ears which certainly needed attention.

He had a great deal of work to do, but he felt there would be no further interruptions; and he hummed a little song as he began setting his traps.

Rip, the dog, had gone off for a cross-country run. Sweet Face, the lamb, was in his meadow. It was not very grassy as yet, but it was cool and soft and Sweet Face loved breezes, and he wanted to be able to frisk and capering through the grass.

Top Notch, the rooster, was fixing up his General Store, arranging the counters with fine worm bread crumbs, pieces of string. He knew he would have many bird customers and he wanted to be able to serve them all.

Christopher Columbus Crow was flying over the countryside seeing what he could discover. Particularly he wished to discover a good spring-time meal.

Yes, all was peaceful around Puddle Muddle, and as Willy Nilly worked he thought happily of his home, his animal friends, the little settlement of Puddle Muddle with its dear loved ruts and mud puddles and rough old roads.

The bears were off looking for food. They needed it, indeed, after the long, long sleep they had had. Jelly Bear and Honey Bear and the cubs Jupiter and Blacky sniffed at stones and ate and ate and though life was perfect.

If you will line your garbage pail each day with a newspaper and grease will be absorbed and daily washing of this utensil can be avoided.

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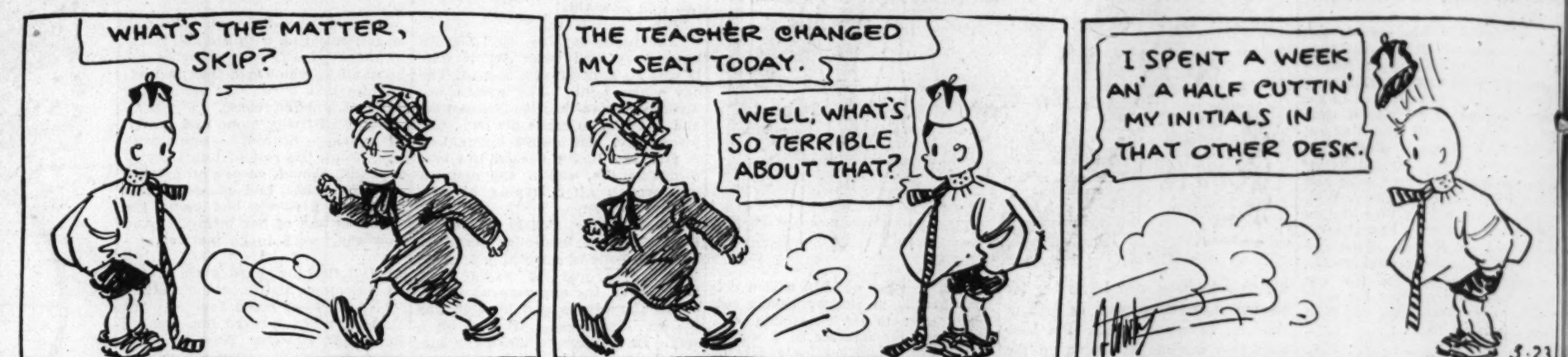
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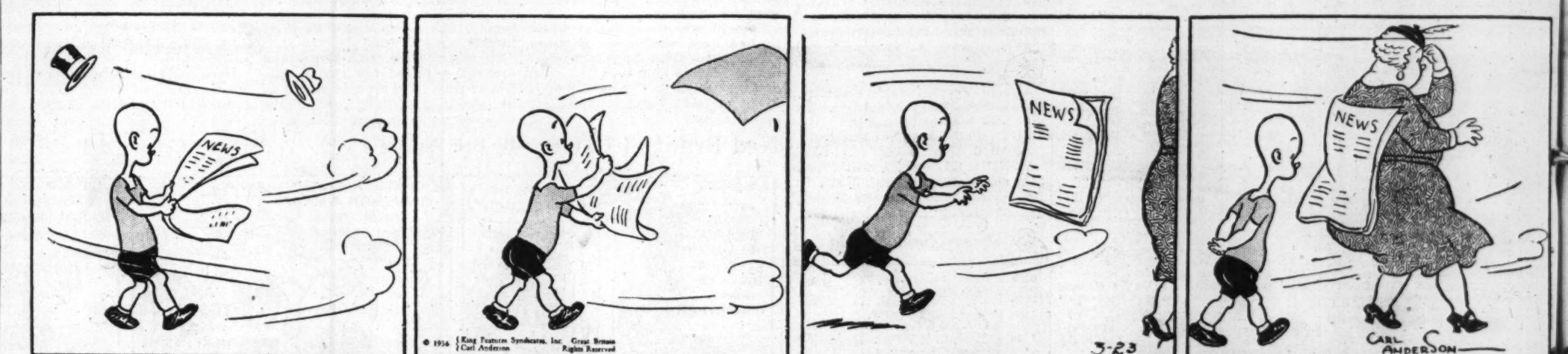
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Glass Chips in the Omelet

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER

ONE of our better class of unemployed scientists has gone and invented himself a glass frying pan. Nobody knows why he did this nimble little trick.

He may claim it is all for research.

But we suspect he wanted to be a war correspondent for the south side of frying eggs.

We are going in for so much light and sunshine these days that it would be no surprise if the Scotch highlanders made their kilts out of cellophane.

The sight of a frying egg is a beautiful vista in any sort of receptacle. We could eat them out of a rubber boot. And use a grave-digger's shovel for a spoon.

The only way to repair cracked glass is with putty, which isn't going to taste so good in an omelet.

Putty and eggs don't mix. At least we have never found them together in the Bartenders' Guide. So we will stick to our faithful old iron skillet until it wears out. We would just as soon taste a rusty omelet as eat an egg infected with painter's colic.

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